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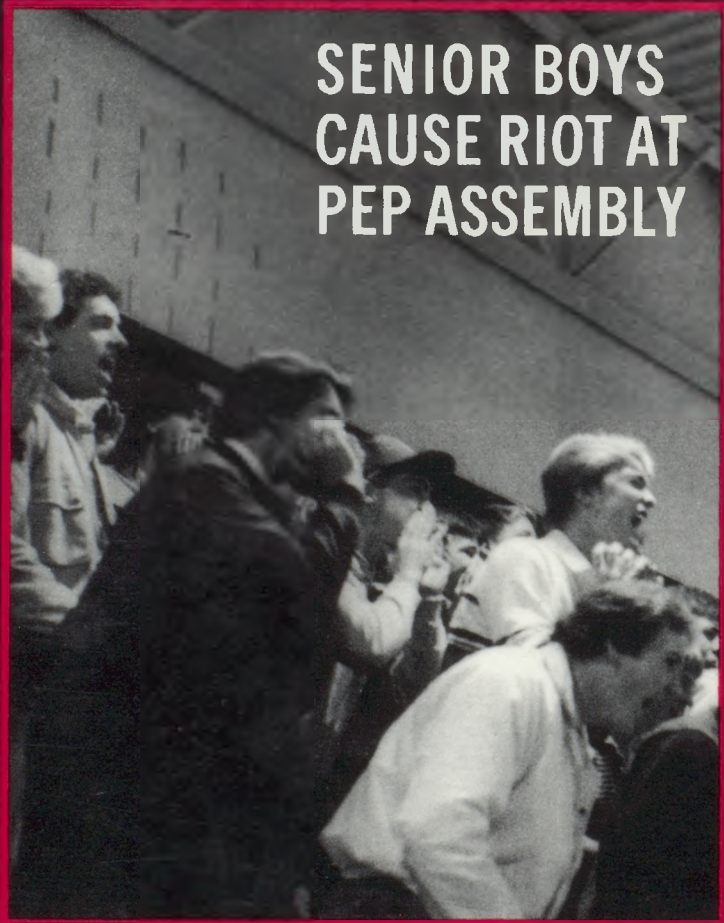
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FRESHMEN BOYS LET  
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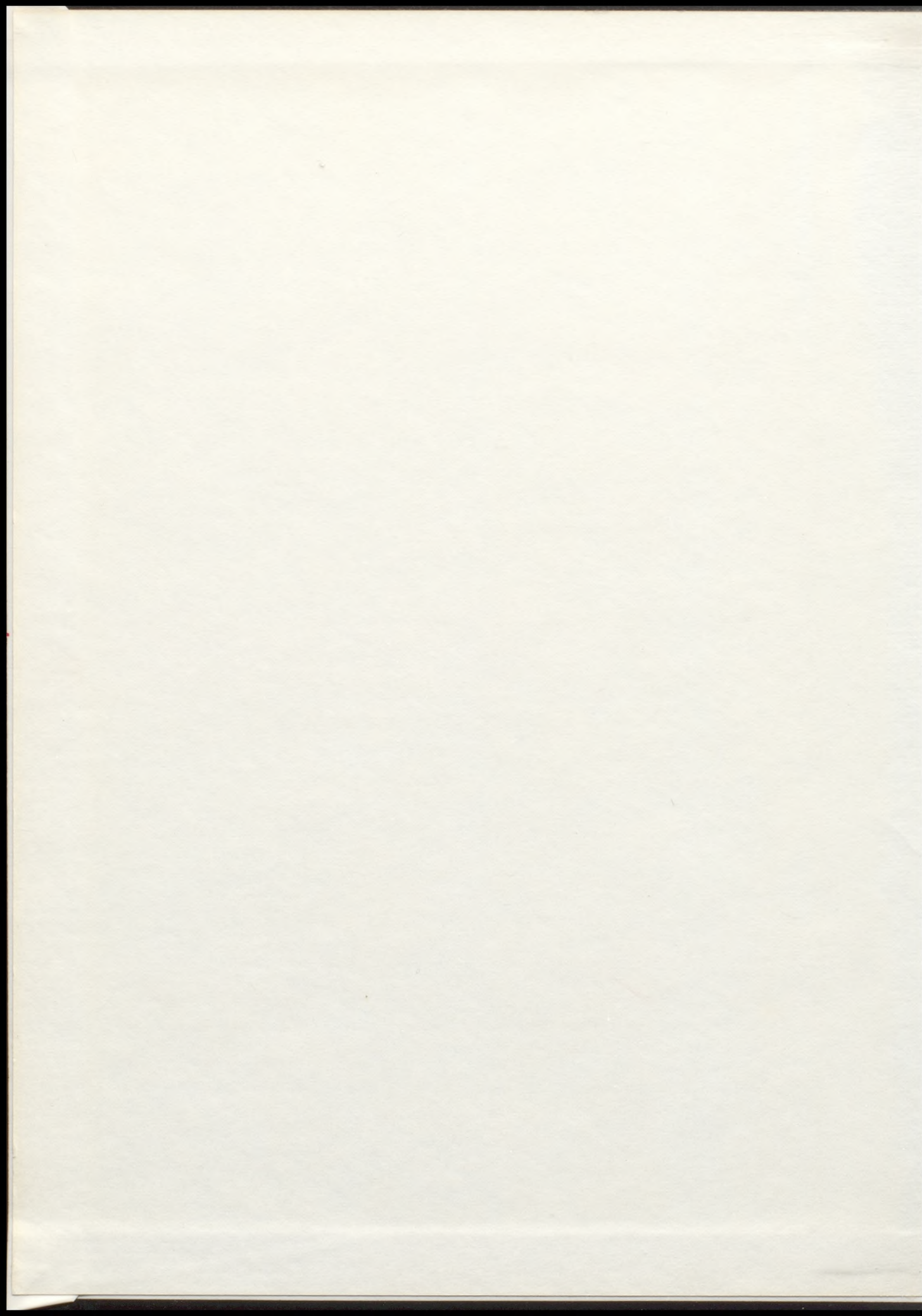


SENIOR BOYS  
CAUSE RIOT AT  
PEP ASSEMBLY



JOHN THOMPSON











# **JOHNSTON ENQUIRER 1986**

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# Johnston H.S. named "Craziest and Most Fun H.S. of 1985-86!!

As you know, our theme this year is a take-off from the famous gossip magazine the **National Inquirer**. We're tried to make this year's book as outrageous and funny as possible!

The Annual Staff would like to thank everyone who contributed to the making of this book. It takes a lot of time and tons of hard work!

We'd like to thank Woltz Studios and Mr. Jack Noah for the use of his facilities, as well as his photo art students.

Page 2: Far Lower Left-Dawn Bebensee tries to scare a skunk but doesn't succeed. Middle Left-Lisa Beggs and Mark Piner show off their acrobatic skills while waiting for the bus. Page 3: Far Upper Right-Lisa Timmerman has her dunce cap on, just kidding Lisa! Upper Right-Erika Espe, Wendy Madole, Michelle Mitchum, and Barb Peters are trying to be cute. Far Lower Left-Cheryl Morris is trying to convince Lana Himes and Suzanne Lesch how great Physics is. I don't think they believe you Cheryl!!! Lower Right-These three Senior guys are trying their hardest to act cool, Good Luck!!!









COMRADE VURCHENKO, YOU SAY THE CIA OFFERED YOU ONE MILLION DOLLARS AND A CONDO ON THE BEACH, AND YOU STILL WANTED TO REDEFECT?... YOU MUST BE ON DRUGS!



## Inquiring Minds Want to Know . . .

**Top Left:** What happened in world affairs this year? For one, the U.S. got a visit from a Soviet spy. He claimed that we tried to bribe him into staying in the U.S.

**Middle:** Music cares! That's the cry heard all over the world as musicians performed the history-making event, Live-Aid, the concert for starving Africans.

**Top Right:** Country musicians from all over the U.S. gave a concert in Champaign, Illinois, in order to help American farmers, called Farm-Aid.

**Middle Right:** Don't rate our music! Adults rated our movies and now our music. Artists must put the lyrics on the outside of the record so the parents can see them.

## Farm



**Lower Middle:** Ah, Willie Nelson, the man who made Farm-Aid happen and someone who really cares about people.

**Bottom Right:** Diana Mania-this was a correct term in usage when the Princess and her husband Prince Charles visited the U.S. in November. Another happening in 1985 was the selling of Iowa lottery tickets. For one dollar, you can win up to ten-thousand-instantly!



# Aid sending harvest to rural pantries

## 'X' ratings for records?

By Jack Kelley

While some conservatives criticize Amy Grant for not mentioning Jesus enough in her lyrics, others find her songs refreshing compared with other rock music.

Among her fans is Susan Baker, wife of Treasury Secretary James Baker and a leader of the movement to establish a ratings system for rock.

Baker helped start the Washington-based Parents' Music Resource Center, which seeks to warn parents about suggestive lyrics of artists like Prince, Sheena Easton and Motley Crue.

"Amy's quite the antithesis of Motley Crue," says Baker, mother of eight. "She talks about love in her song *Find a Way*. She's saying, 'Our God will pull us through any difficult situation.' Her lyrics are very positive for kids."

The Resource Center wants records rated the way movies are. They'd also like lyrics printed on backs of albums, and sexually suggestive album jackets covered.

In response, the National Association of Broadcasters already has asked record companies to include lyric sheets when mailing albums to radio stations. The National PTA is asking for disclaimers on record albums to warn parents of offensive language.

"We don't want to be seen as record-burning zealots and we're not challenging artists' right to write what they want," says Baker. "We're taking the position that rock has overstepped the bounds of decency."

Some lyrics, she says, "reinforce the wrong kinds of values."

Recently, the Senate Commerce Committee decided to investigate the issue by holding hearings on the group's proposal.

Among those who testified was musician Frank Zappa, who called the proposal to put warning labels on records "an ill-conceived piece of nonsense." Added John Denver: "I'm opposed to any kind of rating system, voluntary or otherwise."

For her part, Grant encourages ratings on some albums: "People (who buy records) don't have the time or involvement to see what's said and they would appreciate it."

"I don't want my 8-year-old nephew listening to anything that would trash up his head." □



WILLIE NELSON

# DIANA MANIA



Last year's fashion was trendier than ever. People were dressed in the "Madonna" look to the paisley look. Here at Johnston people were dressed in many different styles as you could imagine. Everyone was pretty much dressing as he or she wanted to and in what was comfortable to him or her. Everyone was wearing the 60's-styled stirrup pants with over-sized shirts and sweaters. The hottest new trend last year was wearing Grandma's old jewelry. Rhinestones were the "in" thing to wear with everything and anything. People are shaving their heads in sections to get the new look in hair styles. The more conservative people got bob's. A bob was when you got the back of your hair cut one length. The fashions of 1985-86 were new and fun.



## Madonna Look-Alikes Invade Johnston



# Godzilla Filmed in Johnston High's Library

## PLANTATION

Drive-In 63rd W. Grand

DRIVE-IN OPEN: 8:30 p.m.  
PREVIEWS: 9:10/RAMBO: 9:15 p.m.

**FLEUR 4**

FLEUR & FORUM:  
(2:30, 5:00 @ \$2.00)  
7:15 AND 9:15

NO PASSES!  
Honor, 100,  
Outdoor Age &  
QRI Certificate  
Required



**FORUM 4**

278-1011 • 4000 MERLE HAY RD.

**STALLONE**  
is back  
as..

**RAMBO**

FIRST BLOOD PART II



EMILIO ESTEVEZ  
and ROB LOWE in

**ST. ELMO'S  
FIRE** **R**

**SIERRA 3**

SAT. AND SUN.  
(2:15-5:15 @ \$2.00)  
7:30-9:45

One of the long-running movies last year was **St. Elmo's Fire**. This box-office smash was about a group of teenagers who met in college and became best friends. When they graduated they tried to stay in the group, but everyone was growing up and going his or her own way. Rob Lowe was one of the movie's main attractions.

No matter what kind of movie you like, there was something for everyone at the box-office last year. There were science fiction movies, horror movies, adventure movies, dramas, and westerns out in 1985-86.

Sylvester Stallone's **Rambo** was a big box-office smash. **Rambo** was about a Vietnam vet who went back to a prisoners of war camp to release the American war prisoners.

**Silverado** was a western that was acclaimed by critics as one of the best movies out last year. So if you wanted to see a good movie, last was the year to do it.

**ALL NEW!**

YOUR FAVORITE FIRE BREATHING MONSTER IS BACK!

**GODZILLA**  
1985  
THE LEGEND IS REBORN

NEW WORLD PICTURES Presents "GODZILLA 1985" Starring RAYMOND BURR  
Executive Producer TOMOYUKI TANAKA Produced by TOMOYUKI TANAKA and ANTHONY RANDEL  
Directed by KOUJI HASHIMOTO and R.J. KIZER A TOHO COMPANY, LTD. PRODUCTION

**PG PARENTAL GUIDANCE SUGGESTED** (Some Material May Be Inappropriate for Children Under 10)

**FLEUR 4** SAT. AND SUN. (1:00-3:00-5:00 @ \$2.00) 7:00-9:00  
285-9232 • 4545 FLEUR DR.

**FORUM 4** 278-1011 • 4000 MERLE HAY RD.

**JOAN AND JOHN BOTH AGREE!**  
DES MOINES' TWO EMINENT CRITICS WERE THRILLED BY THE PLOT AND QUALITY OF "SILVERADO"

"★★★★½"  
—JOAN BUNKER  
DES MOINES  
SUNDAY REGISTER

"SILVERADO IS PURE GOLD. THE BEST AMERICAN WESTERN SINCE 'SHANE'!"  
—JOHN PASCAL JR. TV & DES MOINES

**Silverado**  
COLUMBIA PICTURES **PG-13**

The Best News Is our Customers also Rave About This Film With Such Enthusiasm!

**CAPRI** SATURDAY-SUNDAY (2:00-4:45 @ \$2.00) 7:30-10:00  
277-3688 • 42ND & UNIVERSITY

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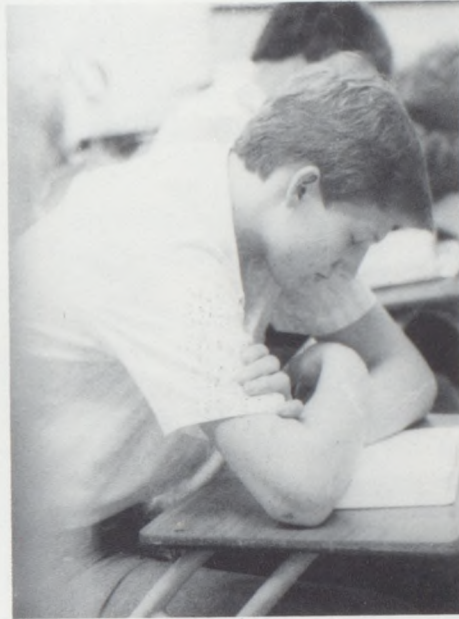
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# Senior Class of 1986 Takes Year-Long Trip to Jamaica

"The senior class of 1986 has finally made it!" was the thought of many people.

As freshmen they made a lot of change in the high school. And as they grew older and matured, they changed. Many new people started to stand out and become leaders. Talent in their grade also showed in sports, academics, and music.

Because this was their senior year, students were starting to think towards their future. Many were planning on attending college. Brian Ranger was planning on attending college at Drake and majoring in international politics. Some other seniors were planning on attending colleges out of state.

Some students were doing things to help them try to decide what type of occupation they would like to go into. Barb Petersen kept busy second semester last year by being a page at the Capitol. Barb described her job as being a "go-fer."

Many of the seniors had a lot of different interests and ideas along with their plans for the future. On whatever path they choose to take, the class of 1986 will be successful.

Top right: Is this the real Tracey Lundy? Middle right: Are Susan Wilkinson and Greg Traen living? Middle left: A carload of fun with Suzanne Lesch, Ann Hakanson, Melisa Maigaard and Lisa McMickle. Lower left: A moment alone with "Dirk" (Barry Jones) and "Brock" (Jon Tack), the A-boys.



**MELISSA ANN BASS**

Nickname: Fish, fishy;  
Future plans or goals: Go  
to DMACC; Track-1,2;  
Powder puff-1,2.

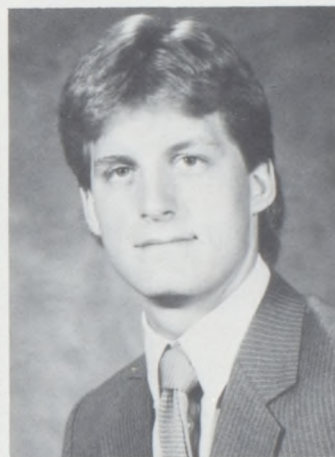


**LISA RENEE BATTANI**

Nickname: Mick, Lerb,  
Bisa Lattani, Lee; Future  
plans or goals: Attend  
UNI to study psychology;  
Sr. High Chorus-1,2,3,4;  
Concert Choir-1,2,3,4;  
Sound Advice-2,3; Swing  
Choir-4; Madrigal Dinner-  
2,3,4; N.H.S.-3,4; F.C.A.-  
1,2,3,4; S.A.D.D.-4; Prom  
Committee-3; After-  
prom Committee-3,4;  
Tennis-1,2,3,4; U.N. Tour-3;  
Solid Rock Club-4; Honor  
Roll-1,2,3,4.

**LEANNE PATRISE BELL**

Nickname: Lee; Future  
plans or goals: Go to ISU,  
have a lot of fun and live  
a happy life. Sr. High  
Chorus-1; Tennis-1; Cheer-  
leading (FB)-1,4; Cheer-  
leading (Wrest)-1,2.

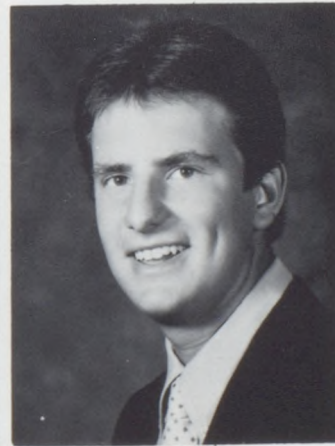


**SHAWN BLAIR**

Nickname: Wilma (Flint-  
stone); Future plans or  
goals: Enjoy summer  
(party) in apartment  
with Victor, go to school  
next fall? Marching Band  
-1; Concert Band-1;  
Football-1,2; Basketball-  
1,2,3,4; Track-1,2,3; Golf-  
1; Baseball-1,2.

**MON'CA MARIE BLAKLEY**

Future plans or goals:  
Have a good career and  
get married.

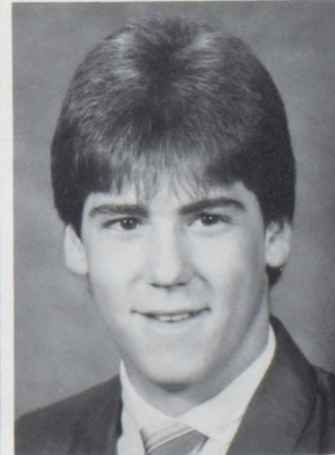


**JOHN MICHAEL BLANCHARD**

Nickname: Head; Future  
plans or goals: Going to  
UNI and majoring in  
Accounting and compu-  
ters; Basketball-1,2;  
Track-4; Baseball-1,2,3,4.

**JACOB MICHAEL BROWN**

Nickname: Jaker; Future  
plans or goals: College,  
Marines; Prom Committee  
-1; Track-1,2.



**WILLIAM MICHAEL BRADY**

Future plans or goals: Go  
to college and then move  
to California; Baseball  
-2,3,4.



**STEVE BROWN**

Nickname: Browner;  
 Future plans or goals: College; Marching band-1,2,3,4; Concert band-1,2,3,4; Jazz band-1,2,3,4; Sr. High Chorus-1,2,3,4; Concert Choir-1,2,3,4; Sound Advice-1,2; Madrigal Dinner-1,2,3,4; Golf-1,2,3,4; Soccer-1,2,4; Jr. Achievement-1,2.

**CAROLYN LEE CARR**

Nickname: Care Bear, Goober, Teddy Bear;  
 Future plans or goals: Become rich and live happily ever after.

**TODD THOMAS CASEY**

Nickname: Case; Future plans or goals: Going to UNI to study business, become rich and famous; Football-2,3,4; Track-1,2,3,4; Soccer-1,2; Powder Puff Coach-4.

**PAMELA JEAN CHRISTOFFERSON**

Marching Band-1,2,3,4; Concert Band-1,2,3,4; F.C.A.-3,4; S.A.D.D.-4; Volleyball-1,2; Track-1,2; Softball-1,2,3,4; Powder Puff-1,2,3,4; Office Help-1,2,3,4.

**SHON MICHAEL CLAUSEN**

Nickname: Clauser; Future plans or goals: to become a great photographer, be very rich and own a Lamborghini; Wrestling-1,2; France Trip-3.

**CONNIE ANN CONLEY**

Nickname: Baucker, Conchi; Future plans or goals: Attend Arizona State; Sr. High Chorus-1; Track-2; Tennis-1; Office Help-1,2.

**KELLY ANN CONWAY**

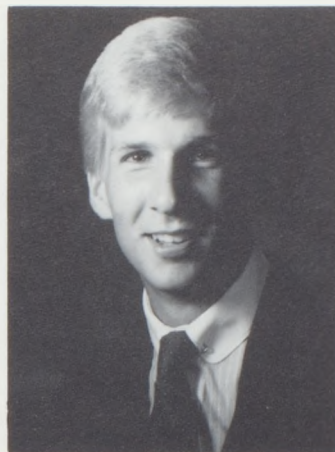
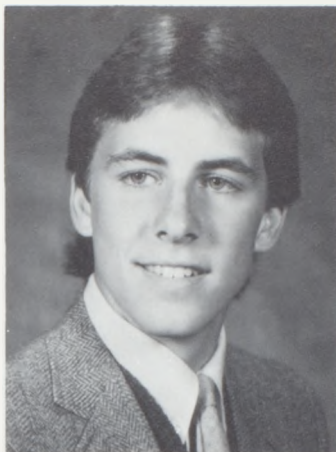
Future plans or goals: Attend Northwest Missouri State University.

**TODD ALLEN CORY**

Nickname: Lex Luthor, Ace; Future plans or goals: Go to college somewhere and play baseball; Football-1,2; Wrestling-1,2; Track-1,2,3,4; Baseball-1,2,3,4.



**PATRICK GLEN CRAMER**  
 Nickname: Neighb; Future plans or goals: Get an apartment with Jim Smith and going to college to study to be an FBI agent, psychiatrist, or lawyer. Baseball-1,2,3,4; France Trip-4; Powder Puff Coach-4.



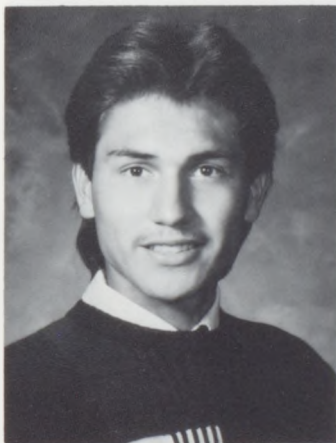
**ROBERT JAMES CRAMER**  
 Future plans or goals: Major in Construction Engineering at ISU, own bridge construction business; Sr. High Chorus-3,4; Concert Choir-3,4; Swing Choir-3,4; Madrigal Dinner-3,4; N.H.S.-3,4; S.A.D.D.-4; Student Body President-4; Cross Country-4; Basketball-1,2,3,4; Track-4; U.N. Tour-3; Solid Rock Club-4.

**STACY CRUZ**



**LISA MAE CULP**  
 Future plans or goals: Getting married and going to school; Powder Puff-1; Junior Achievement-1,2.

**VICTOR DANIELS**  
 Nickname: Xavier "Vic" Mc Daniels (X Man); Future plans or goals: To party and work all summer with Shawn and to get an apartment. Then in the Fall go to college?; Student Council-1,2; Football-1,2; Basketball-1,2,3,4; Track 1,2; Tennis-1,2.



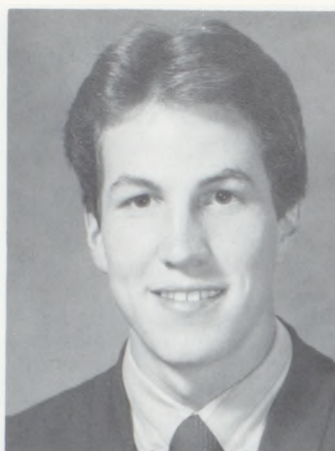
**STEVE SCOTT DECOOK**  
 Nickname: Beav, Crazy; Future plans or goals: Go to college at Central, major in business; N.H.S.-3; Cross Country-3; Basketball-1,2; Track-1,3,4; Baseball-1,2,3,4; Homecoming Escort-2.

**KAREN LEANN DESART**  
 Future plans or goals: To find a good job; Track-1,2,3; Office Help-1; Football Manager-1; Wrestling Manager-1.



**MICHELLE DES PLANQUES**

**BILL DICKINSON**



**ROD DOLPH**  
Nickname: Ruff; Future plans or goals: Attend college.

**BRYAN ERIC ETCHEN**

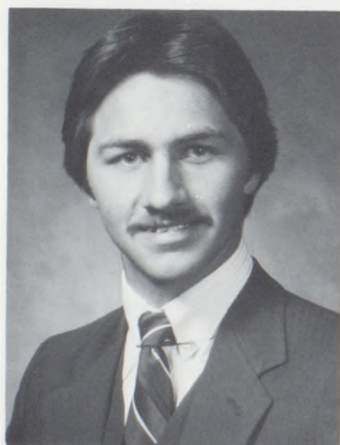
Nickname: Bubba, Big Etch; Future plans or goals: Attend ISU & UCLA and major in aeronautical engineering; Marching Band-1,2,3,4; Concert Band-1,2,3,4; Jazz Band-1,2,3,4; Sr. High Chorus-1,2,3,4; Concert Choir-1,2,3,4; Sound Advice-2; Madrigal Dinner-2,3,4; Track-1; Golf-1,3,4; Junior Achievement-1,2,3,4; Swing Choir Band-3,4; Pep Van-3,4; Talent Show-2,3,4; All-State Chorus-1.



**FAY MARIE FLADUNG**  
N.H.S.-3; Track-2,3; Powder Puff-4.

**TODD RIDGWAY FRIESTAD**

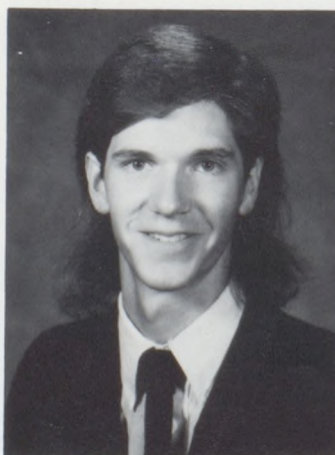
Nickname: Ridgway, Free; Future plans or goals: Go to ISU, become a dentist; Marching Band-1,2,3,4; Concert Band-1,2,3,4; Jazz Band-1,2,3,4; Sr. High Chorus-1,2,3,4; Concert Choir-1,2,3; Sound Advice-1,2; Swing Choir-2,3; Madrigal Dinner-1,2,3; F.C.A.-1,2,3,4; After-Prom Committee-3,4; Cross Country-2; Basketball-2,3,4; Golf-1,2,3,4; U. N. Tour-3; Pep Club-1,2; Junior Achievement-1,2,3,4; Talent Show-1,4.



**DAVID COLE GAY**  
Future plans or goals: Go to college; Wrestling-2,3,4; Soccer-1,2,3,4.

**MICHELLE LEE GENOVESE**

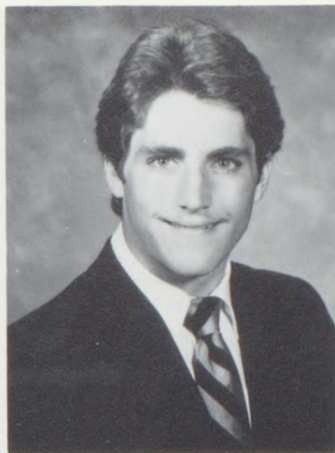
Nickname: Mish; Future plans or goals: Enjoy myself; Annual-2; Cheerleading (FB)-1,2; Cheerleading (BB)-1; Powder Puff-2; Marquettes-2.



**MARK ALLEN GILSON**  
Nickname: Gil, Bone, dude; Future plans or goals: Become a professional musician; Marching Band-1,2,3,4; Concert Band-1,2,3,4; Jazz Band-1,2,3,4; Sr. High Chorus-3; N.H.S.-3,4; Football-1; Track-1; Junior Achievement-1; Sound Advice Band-1,2; Swing Choir Band-3,4; Talent Show-1,2,3,4.

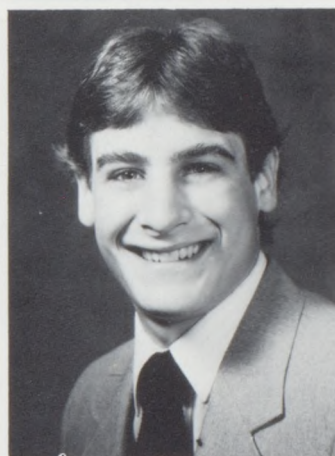


**TONI VALENTINE GORDON**  
 Nickname: Nip; Future plans or goals: To be an artist and a mother; N.H.S.-3,4.



**WILLIAM JOSEPH GOSS**  
 Nickname: Willard; Future plans or goals: Electrical Engineer; Football-1,2,3,4; Basketball-1; Wrestling-3; Track-2; Golf-1,2,3,4; Soccer-1; Baseball-1; Junior Achievement-1.

**DEBRA RENEE GRIMES**  
 Nickname: Ray; Future plans or goals: College; Marching Band-1,2,3,4; Concert Band-1,2,3,4; N.H.S.-3; F.C.A.-1,2,3,4; Track-1,2,3,4; Softball-1,2,3,4; Powder Puff-1,2; Senior Band Secretary-4.



**JAMES WALTER GRIMES**  
 Nickname: Dim; Future plans or goals: Go into the automotive field; Wrestling-1.

**KRISTEN KAI GRIMES**  
 Nickname: Leggs and Mom; Future plans or goals: Be a great mother and to go on to DMACC and major in child development and hopefully travel to Venice someday; F.C.A.-4; S.A.D.D.-4; Basketball-1,2,3; Golf-1; Softball-1,2,4; Solid Rock-4; Fall Softball-2,4.



**ANN ELIZABETH HAKANSON**  
 Nickname: Annie; Future plans or goals: Drake University, head out to California soon, marry a millionaire; Powder Puff-4.

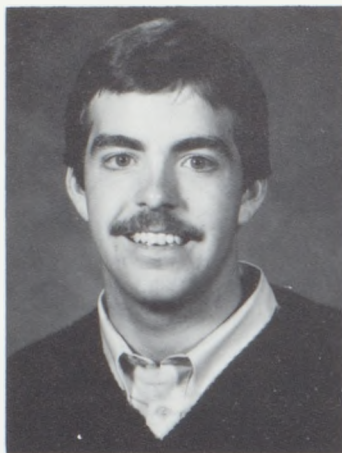
**MELISSA LEA HARRISON**  
 Nickname: Missy, Mom, Moondog; Future plans or goals: Go to Zimbabwe this summer, to to college to study missions; Sr. High Chorus-1,2,3,4; Concert Choir-1,2,3,4; Sound Advice-1,2; Swing Choir-3,4; Madrigal Dinner-1,2,3,4; Office Help-1,2.



**DAVID S. HAUSER**  
 Future plans or goals: Go to college; N.H.S.-3; Student Council-3; Football-1,2,3,4; Basketball-1; Track-1,3,4; Baseball-1,2,3,4.

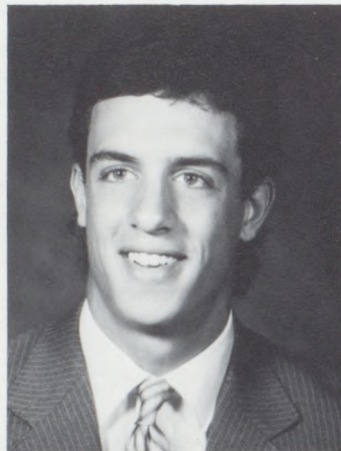


**TIMOTHY JOHN HAWKINS**  
 Nickname: Hawk, HDH;  
 Future plans or goals: Go to ISU in electrical engineering, I would like to move to Colorado or on the east coast after college; Football-1,2,3,4; Wrestling-1; Track-1; Baseball-1,2; All-School Play-4; Powder Puff Cheerleading-4.



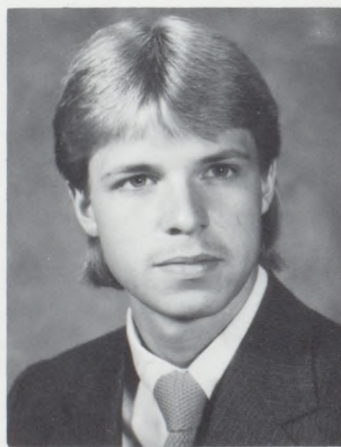
**LANA MARIA HINES**  
 Nickname: Banana Lana;  
 Future plans or goals: Go to ISU-Mass Communications; Sr. High Chorus-1,2,3,4; Concert Choir-3,4; Madrigal Dinner-3,4; Tennis-1,2,3; Cheerleading (BB)-1,3,4; Powder Puff-4; All-School Play-4; Marquettes-2; Mexico Trip-4.

**TODD HINES**



**JOEL EVAN JOHNSON**  
 Nickname: J.J., por la noches, Clarence;  
 Future plans or goals: Go to college, major in accounting and make a comfortable living; Marching Band-1; Concert Band-1,2; Jazz Band-2; N.H.S.-3; Football-1,2,3,4; Basketball-1,2,3; Track-1,2,3,4; Baseball-1,2,3,4; Homecoming Escort-1, King-4.

**BARRY MATTHEW JONES**  
 Nickname: The King, Bear-Man, The Bear;  
 Future plans or goals: Go to Simpson College or move to Kakamega, Kenya; Student Council-1,4; Football-4; Cross Country-1,2,3; Wrestling-1,2,3,4; Track-1,2; Soccer-1; All-School Play-4; Powder Puff Cheerleading-2,3,4; Talent Show-3,4.



**JEFFREY TODD KENNEL**  
 Future plans or goals: go to college, get a good paying job; Sr. High Chorus-3,4; Concert Choir-4; Madrigal Dinner-4; F.C.A.-3; Prom Committee-3; After-Prom Committee-3; Baseball-2,3,4; Pep Van-3,4.

**REGINA ANN KINSEY**  
 Nickname: Gina;  
 Future plans or goals: To be happy with whatever I do; Marching Band-1,2,3; Concert Band-1,2,3; N.H.S.-3,4; S.A.D.D.-3; Basketball-1,2,3,4; Softball-1,2,3,4; Drill Team-2.



**RANDALL LEE KOENIG**  
 Nickname: Randy;  
 Future plans or goals: Work and go to school; S.A.D.D.-4; Wrestling-2,3; All-School Play-2,3,4; Close-Up Trip-4; Pep Club-1.



**TONYA MARIE KRIEG**

Nickname: Ton; Future plans or goals: Attend IOWA to study genetics; N.H.S.-3,4; S.A.D.D.-4; Basketball-1,2,3,4; Track-1,2; Softball-1,2; France Trip-4.



**MICHAEL A. LANG**

Nickname: Langer; Future plans or goals: Attend college; Football-1,2,3,4; Wrestling-1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Baseball-1,2,3,4; All-School Play-4.

**SHERYL DENISE LARSEN**

Nickname: Shirley; Future plans or goals: Go to college, major in accounting, move out of Iowa; N.H.S.-3,4; S.A.D.D.-4; Prom Committee-3; Student Council-2,3; Annual-3,4; Basketball-1,2; Powder Puff-1,2,3,4; Homecoming Attendant-1,3; Junior Escort at 1985 graduation.



**THUY THANH LEE**

Future plans or goals: To go to college.

**SUZANNE JEANNE LESCH**

Nickname: Suz, Sloozie; Future plans or goals: Go to ISU & major in special education; Marching Band-1; Concert Band-1; Jazz Band-1; Sr. High Chorus-1,2,3,4; Concert Choir-1,2,3,4; Sound Advice-1,2; Swing Choir-3,4; Madrigal Dinner-1,2,3,4; F.C.A.-1; Track-1,2; U. N. Tour-3; Powder Puff-1,2,3,4; France Trip-2.

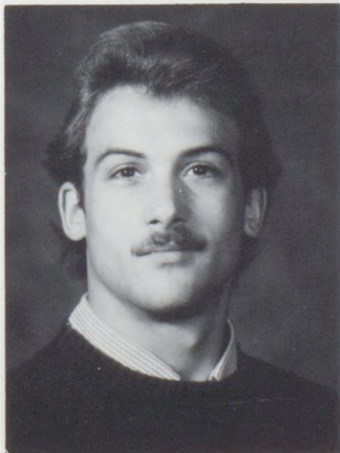


**TRACEY LYNN LUNDY**

Nickname: Baucher, Smace; Future plans or goals: Go to college at Arizona State, marry David Young; Sr. High Chorus-1; Track-2; Tennis-1; Cheerleading (WREST)-1,2; Powder Puff-1; Homecoming Attendant-4.

**BRADLEY WAYNE MADISON**

Nickname: Brad, papa; Future plans or goals: Go to college; S.A.D.D.-4; Wrestling-1,2; Pep Club-2; Solid Rock-4.



**MELISA MAIGAARD**

Future plans or goals: Attend IOWA, then go to San Diego State Univ.; Sr. High Chorus-1,2; Prom Committee-3; Volleyball-1; Basketball-1; Tennis-1,2,3,4; All-School Play-4; Powder Puff-4; Mexico Trip-3; Chorus Trip-2.



**SHANNON MC INTOSH**

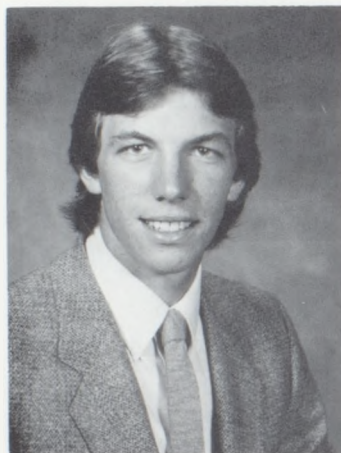
Nickname: Sha; Future plans or goals: go to beauty school and/or DMACC; Sr. High Chorus-1; Cheerleading (FB)-1,3; Cheerleading (WREST)-1,2,4; Powder Puff-2; Office Help-2.



**LISA MARIE MCMICKLE**  
Future plans or goals: Attend U of I. Basketball-1; Track-1,2,3,4; Powder Puff-1,2,3,4.

**JEFF MCMULLEN**

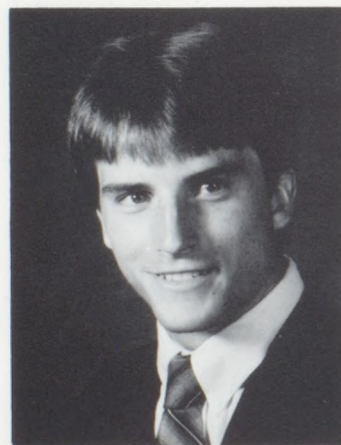
Nickname: Mac; Future plans or goals: Marines; Basketball-1,2,3; Golf-2,3,4.



**JENNIFER LYNN MECKLEY**  
Nickname: Shmuck; Future plans or goals: Go to Northwest Missouri State; Sr. High Chorus-1,2,3,4; Concert Choir-1,2,3,4; Sound Advice-1; Swing Choir-2,3,4; Madrigal Dinner-1,2,3,4; Basketball-1,2; Tennis-1; Powder Puff-1,2,3,4; Mexico Trip-3.

**MATT MERTENS**

Future plans or goals: Go to college; F.C.A.-3; Student Council-4; Football-1,2,3,4; Basketball-1; Track-1,2,3,4; Baseball-1,2,3,4.



**CHRISTINE MINGLES**

**MICHELLE LYNN MITCHUM**

Nickname: Mitch, Candi, M&M; Future plans or goals: College; Sr. High Chorus-4; Prom Committee -3; After-Prom Committee -4; Cheerleading (FB)-4; Cheerleading(BB)-2,3,4; Junior Achievement -1; Honor Roll-1,2,3,4.

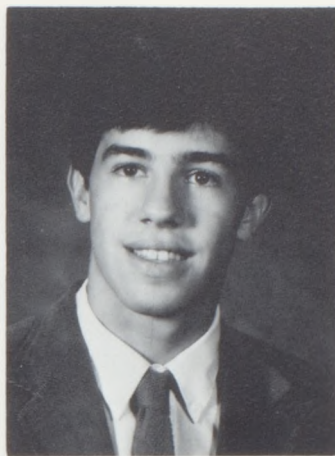


**LISA LYNN MOON**  
Nickname: Lucy, E-SA; Future plans or goals: Go to DMACC majoring in business; Honor Roll-4.



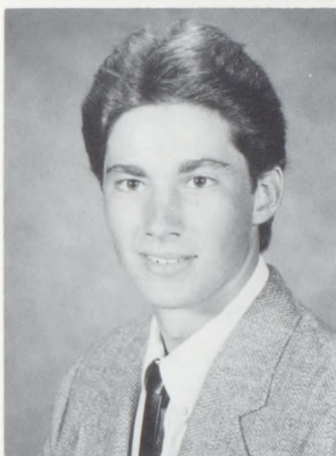
**CHERYL LYNN MORRIS**

Nickname: Cheri; Future plans or goals: Attend ISU and become a famous chemical engineer; N.H.S.-3,4; After-Prom Committee -4; Student Council-1; Annual-2; Golf-1,4; Cheerleading (FB)-2,3,4; Cheerleading (BB)-1,4; All-school Play-2,3,4; Powder Puff-1,2,3,4; Marquettes-2.



**STEVEN WILLIAM MORSE**  
Future plans or goals: Go to college (ISU), become fabulously rich; Marching Band-1,2; Concert Band-1,2; Jazz Band-1,2; Football-1; Basketball-1,3,4; Golf-4.

**ERIC MURRAY**

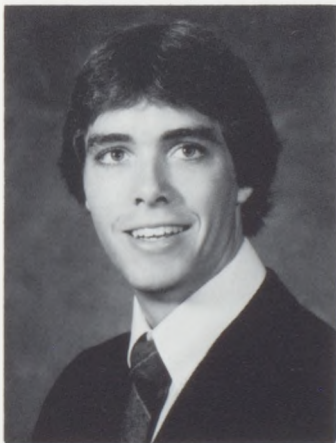


**STACY R. NEARY**

Future plans or goals: U of I, study special education, and majoring in French; Track-3,4; Tennis-1,2; Cheerleading (BB)-2,3; Powder Puff-1,2,3,4; Homecoming Attendant-4; France Trip-3.

**TODD MICHAEL NEUMANN**

Future plans or goals: College; N.H.S.-3,4; Student Council-2; Football-1,3,4; Basketball-1,2,3,4; Track-1,2,3; Baseball-1,2,3,4; All-School Play-4; Powder Puff Cheerleading-4; Homecoming Escort-3,4.

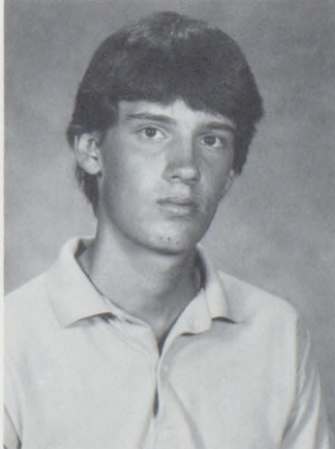


**MICHAEL O'LEARY**

Future plans or goals: To go to ISU; Football-1,2,3,4; Track-1,3; Golf-2; Baseball-1,2,3,4.

**SUZANNE RENEE OBER**

Nickname: Suz; Future plans or goals: Go to college; Marching Band-1,2,3,4; Concert Band-1,2,3,4; Sr. High Chorus-1,2,3,4; Concert Choir-1,2,3; Sound Advice-1,2; Madrigal Dinner-1,2,3; After-Prom Committee-3; France Trip-2.



**ALAN PATTERSON**

Nickname: Al, Wild Al; Future plans or goals: Career in aerodynamics or a pilot; Marching Band-1,2; Concert Band-1,2; Powder Puff Cheerleading-2.



**ALICIA PATTERSON**

Nickname: Pat, Stan;  
 Future plans or goals: Go to college and be happy;  
 Marching Band-3; Concert Band-2; Jazz Band-1;  
 Prom Committee-3; Basketball-3; Track-2; Softball-1.



**BARBARA S. PETERSEN**  
 Nickname: Barb; Future plans or goals: Go to Central College or UNI to study business or political science; Sr. High Chorus-1,2,3,4; Concert Choir-2,3,4; Sound Advice-1,2; Madrigal Dinner-2,3,4; N.H.S.-3,4; S.A.D.D.-4; Annual-2; All-School Play-1,4; U. N. Tour-3; Powder Puff-1,3,4; France Trip-2; Senate Page-4.

**KERRY ALDEN PIERCE**

Nickname: Bird; Future plans or goals: Go to college, move somewhere warm; Sr. High Chorus-2,3,4; After-Prom Committee-3; Basketball-1,2,3,4; Golf-2,3,4; Baseball-2,3,4; Pep Van-3,4.

**DANA L. PLEW**

Nickname: Plewsky; Future plans or goals: Go to college and play basketball; Marching Band-1; Concert Band-1; F.C.A.-1,2,3,4; S.A.D.D.-3,4; Volleyball-1; Cross Country-1,2; Basketball-1,2,3,4; Track-1,2,3,4; Softball-1,2,3,4; Powder Puff-1,2,3,4; Fall Softball-3,4.

**PAMELA L. PREDIGER**

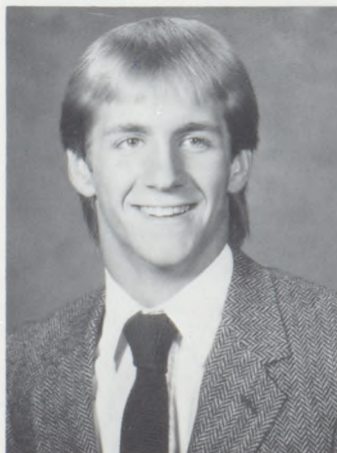
Nickname: Pami; Future plans or goals: Go to Bemidji State Univ. and have a fun life; Sr. High Chorus-1,2,3; Concert Choir-2,3; Sound Advice-1,2; Madrigal Dinner-2,3; Prom Committee-3; Annual-3,4; Volleyball-1; Basketball-1,2,3; Softball-1,2,3; Fall Softball-3,4.

**COREY L. PRIDEAUX**

Future plans or goals: Go to Los Angeles and become a successful recording engineer; Marching Band-1,2,4; Concert Band-1,2,3,4; Football-1,2,3; Wrestling-1.

**BRIAN PAUL RANGER**

Future plans or goals: Go to a small college, major in political science; Football-1; Wrestling-2,3,4; Powder Puff Cheerleading-4.

**BARTON JOHN RATTERREE**

Nickname: Bam-Bam; Future plans or goals: Go to college and be rich; Marching Band-1,2; Concert Band-1,2; S.A.D.D.-4; Football-1,2,3; Wrestling-1,2,3; Track-1,2,3,4.

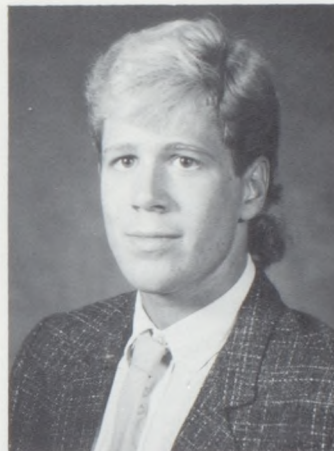


**JILL MARIE REANEY**  
 Nickname: Jillian "J"  
 Ledger; Future plans or goals: Go to UNI, major in communications and English; France Trip-2.



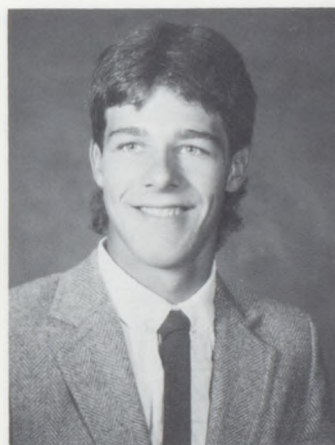
**JEFF RIEMENSCHNEIDER**

**STEPHANIE LYNN RUNNEBERG**  
 Future plans or goals: Join the Service and be able to see the world and at the same time find a job that I enjoy that I'll want to do for the rest of my life; Volleyball-2; All-School Play-2.



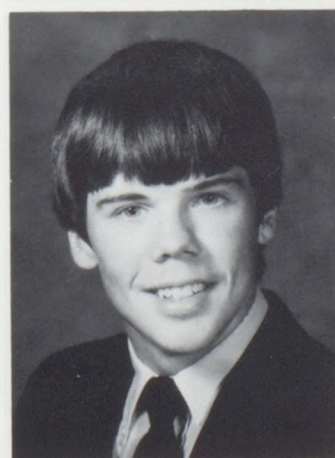
**BRENT ALAN SHARON**  
 Nickname: Doob; Future plans or goals: Go to college, major in computer science; S.A.D.D.-4; Annual-2; Track-2,3,4.

**DAVID KENT SHARON**  
 Nickname: Pretty Boy; Future plans or goals: Go to college, major in architectural drafting; Basketball 11-2,3,4; Track-2; Basketball-2,3,4.



**MARK DAVID SHERVHEIM**  
 Nickname: Sherv; Future plans or goals: Be a surgeon; Marching Band-1,2,3,4; Concert Band-1,2,3,4; Jazz Band-4; Golf-1,2,3,4.

**DENNIS SLAVIN**



**TONY MICHAEL SLOAN**  
 Nickname: Stone; Future plans or goals: Marines, get married; Basketball-1; Golf-4.

**JAMES JAY SMITH**

Nickname: Smitty; Future plans or goals: Get an apt. with Pat Cramer, go to DMACC for 1 year, then go to U of I or ISU; Football-1,2; Basketball-1; Track-2; Baseball-1,2,3,4.



**DIANA MARIE SNELL**

Future plans or goals: Go to ISU and major in Telecommunications; Marching Band-1; Concert Band-1; Jazz Band-1; Sr. High Chorus-1; Prom Committee-3; Basketball-1,2; Track-1,2,3,4; Softball-1; Cheerleading (FB)-1,4; Cheerleading (WREST)-4; Powder Puff-2,3,4; Mexico Trip-3; Chorus Trip-2.

**STEPHANIE MICHELLE SPEER**

Future plans or goals: Attend UNI, major in psychology, and work with troubled kids in drug rehab.; Sr. High Chorus-1,2; Annual-4; Cheerleading (WREST)-1, alt.-4; Powder Puff-1; Marquettes-2; Mexico Trip-3; Football Manager-1,2,3; Chorus Trip-2.

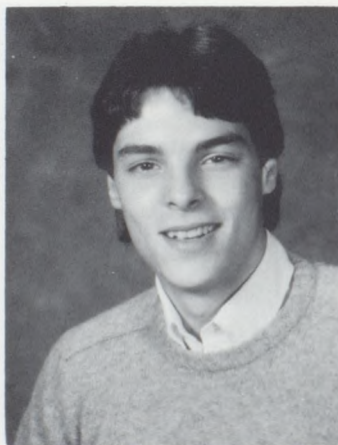


**TONYA JO STILL**

Future plans or goals: Computer programmer, have a career and a family.

**LISA DEANNE STOREY**

Nickname: Bigfoot; Track-1,2; Office Helper-4; Basketball Manager-2.

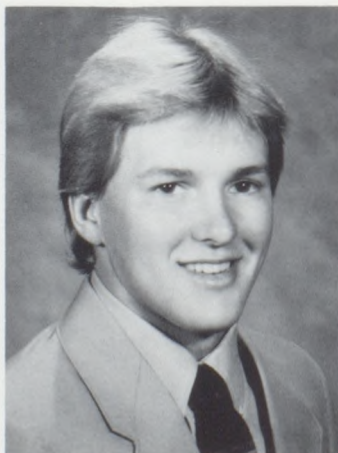
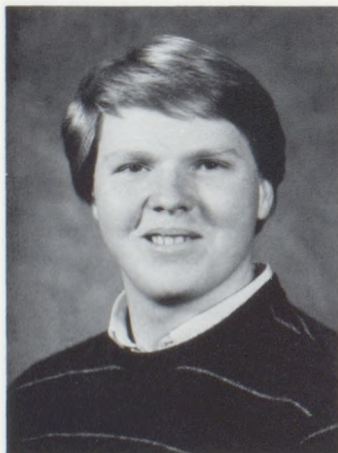


**STEVEN CHARLES STRICKLAND**

Nickname: Skippy; Future plans or goals: go to college; S.A.D.D.-4; Cross Country-1,2,3,4; Basketball-1,2,3,4; Track-1,2,3,4; AFS-1,2.

**JIM SUCKOW**

Nickname: Glucose, Gluc, Suc; Future plans or goals: Go to Columbia Tech, chemical experimentation; Marching Band-1,2,3,4; Concert Band-1,2,3,4.



**JON CHRISTOPHER TACK**

Nickname: The Man; Future plans or goals: Attend the U of I, get a Porche; N.H.S.-3,4; F.C.A.-1,2; Football-1,2,3,4; Wrestling-1,2,3,4; Soccer-1,2,3,4; Talent Show-4.



**CHRISTY LYNN THOMAS**  
 Nickname: Bear; Future plans or goals; Go to College or St. Mary's in Omaha; Sr. High Chorus-1; Cheerleading (BB)-1,2.



**LOLITA THOMAS**

**JOHN SCOTT THOMPSON**  
 Nickname: J.T.; Future plans or goals; To be an astronaut; Sr. High Chorus-1,2; Concert Choir-1,2; Swing Choir-1,2; Student Council-1; Football-1,2,3; Wrestling-1; Track-1.



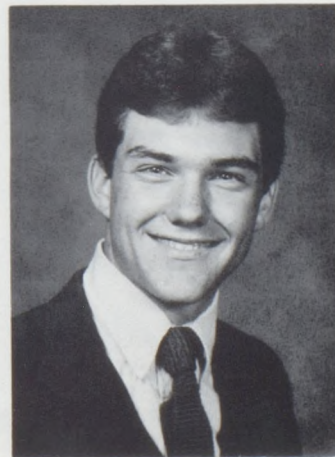
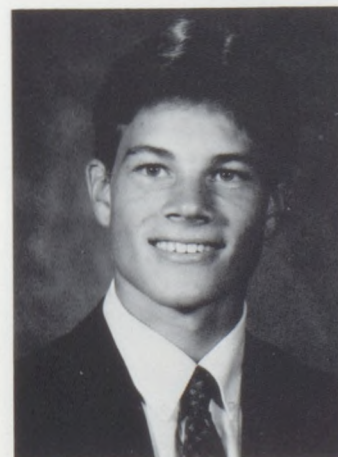
**KRISTINE DIANE THOMPSON**  
 Future plans or goals: go to college and be successful; Sr. High Chorus-1,2; Volleyball-1; Basketball-1,2; Track-1,2,3; Softball-1,2; Powder Puff-1,2,3,4; Chorus Trip-2.

**LESLIE MARIE TIMMERMAN**  
 Nickname: Lez; Future plans or goals: College; Marching Band-1,2,3,4; Concert Band-1,2,3,4; Jazz Band-1,2,3,4; N.H.S.-3,4; F.C.A.-2,3,4; S.A.D.D.-2,3,4; Prom Committee-3; After-Prom Committee-3,4; Volleyball-1; Swimming-2,3,4; Basketball-1,2,3,4; Track-1,2,3,4; Tennis-1,2,3,4; Softball-1,2,3,4; Powder Puff-1,4; France Trip-3; Band President-4.



**LISA LOUISE TIMMERMAN**  
 Nickname: Mary Lou, Rich, USA, Junior; Future plans or goals: College; Marching Band-1,2,3,4; Concert Band-1,2,3,4; Jazz Band-1,2,3,4; Sr. High Chorus-1; N.H.S.-3; F.C.A.-2,3,4; S.A.D.D.-4; Prom Committee-3; After-Prom Committee-4; Volleyball-1; Swimming-2,3,4; Basketball-1,2,3,4; Tennis-1,2,3,4; Softball-1,2,3,4; Powder Puff-4.

**GREGORY JOHN TRAEN**  
 Future plans or goals: Attend ISU, architectural engineering; Football-1,2,3,4; Basketball-1,2,3,4; Track-1,2,3; Golf-4; Baseball-1; U.N. Tour-3.

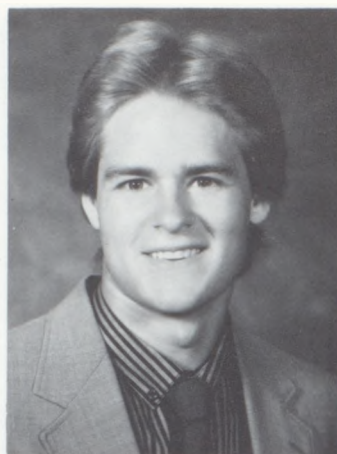


**KEITH VAN WIEL**  
 Future plans or goals: College; Marching Band-1,2,3,4; Concert Band-1,2,3; Jazz Band-1,2,3; Sr. High Chorus-2,3,4; Concert Choir-4; Madrigal Dinner-4; Basketball-1,3; Golf-1,2,3,4; Soccer-1,2,4; Mexico Trip-4.



**AMY ELIZABETH  
VAN ZANDT**

Nickname: Mammy;  
Future plans or goals:  
Find a good paying job,  
get married and start a  
family; Sr. High Chorus-  
1,2; Volleyball-1,2,3;  
Basketball-1,2,3,4; Track-  
1,2,3; Softball-1,2; Office  
Help-3.

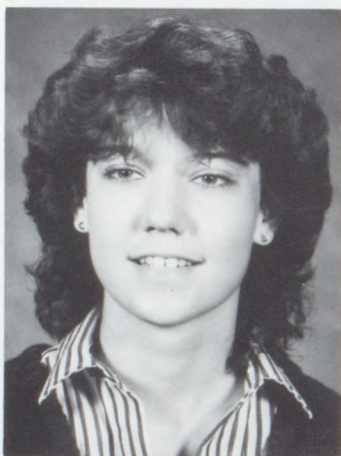


**TODD E. VANDERHART**

Nickname: Gary, Gloria,  
Otis; Future plans or  
goals: Go to aviation  
school to be a pilot, in  
Texas or Florida; Student  
Council-4; Football-1,2;  
Basketball-1; Track-  
1,2,3,4; Baseball-1,2.

**ANDREA LEA  
VANDERLINDEN**

Nickname: Andy, Anus;  
Future plans or goals: Go  
to UNI and major in busi-  
ness/accounting; N.H.S.-  
3,4; Softball-1; France  
Trip-2.



**DEBRA LOUISE WEIR**

Future plans or goals: go  
to ISU and double major  
in agronomy and agri-  
cultural business; March-  
ing Band-1,2,3; Concert  
Band-1,2,3; Sr. High  
Chorus-2,3; Concert  
Choir-2,3; Madrigal  
Dinner-3; Volleyball-  
1,2,3; Basketball-1,2,3;  
Track-1; Tennis-1,2;  
Softball-1,2; Powder  
Puff-1,2,3,4.

**MARY ELAINE WHEELER**

Nickname: Squeely;  
Future plans or goals: Go  
to NE Missouri State and  
study music; Marching  
Band-1,2,3,4; Concert  
Band-1,2,3,4; S.A.D.D.-  
3,4; Softball-1.

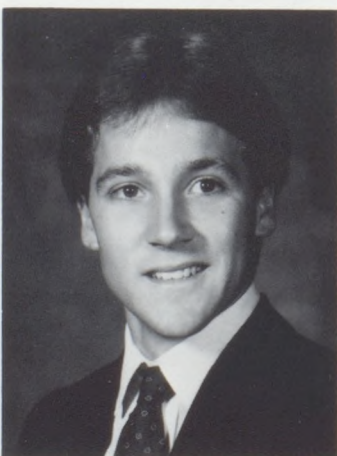


**TIMOTHY ALLEN WHITE**

Future plans or goals:  
Moving to California the  
end of May to attend  
San Diego State Univer-  
sity; Student Council-1;  
Football-1,2,3; Basketball-  
1,2,3; Track-2; Baseball-  
1,2,3.

**KURT D. WHITMORE**

Future plans or goals:  
DMACC, ISU, NASA-sci-  
ence; Sr. High Chorus-  
1,2,3,4; Wrestling-1,2,3,4;  
Junior Achievement-1,2;  
Mexico Trip-2.



**CRAIG ALAN WILDRICK**

Nickname: Wild; Future  
plans or goals: Get a  
degree in business  
administration and get a  
job with a major corpo-  
ration; S.A.D.D.-4; Foot-  
ball-1,2,3; Wrestling-1;  
Track-1,2,4; France  
Trip-3.



**SUSAN ELIZABETH WILKINSON**

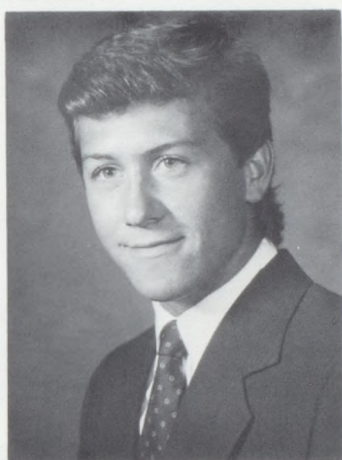
Nickname: Suey; Future plans or goals: Attend U of I; Sr. High Chorus-1,2,3,4; Concert Choir-1,2,3,4; Sound Advice-1,2; Swing Choir-3,4; Madrigal Dinner-1,2,3,4; N.H.S.-3,4; F.C.A.-1,2,3,4; Volleyball-1,2,3,4; Basketball-1,2,3; Track-1,2,3,4; U.N. Tour-3; Powder Puff-4; Homecoming Queen-4.



**JAMIE DENISE WINDERS**  
Future plans or goals; Go to ISU to study design; Sr. High Chorus-1,2,3,4; Concert Choir-2,3,4; Sound Advice-1; Swing Choir-2,3,4; Madrigal Dinner-2,3,4; Cheerleading (FB)-1; Cheerleading (BB)-2,3; Powder Puff-4.

**DAVID EDMUND YOUNG**

Nickname: Fluffybutt; Future plans or goals: Be a philanthropist, marry Tracey Lundy, attend San Diego State, and be a good father and husband; Sr. High Chorus-2,3,4; Concert Choir-2,3,4; Swing Choir-2,3,4; Madrigal Dinner-2,3,4; F.C.A.-2; S.A.D.D.-4; Basketball-2,4; Track-2,3,4; All-School Play-3,4; Close-Up Trip-4.



Top: Alan Patterson and Vic Daniels can't fool us! We know they aren't studying. Middle left: Barb Petersen is taking a break from class. Middle right: The unseparable twosome- Steven Strickland and Todd Vanderhart. Bottom: Dana Plew and Lisa Timmerman are getting in to the library scene.

Not Pictured:  
MICHELLE DICKSON  
LAURETTA FROST  
CHRISTINE LOGAN  
BLAKE PUTNEY  
JIM RAMSEY



# Bullhorns Used at Pep-Stik Junior Class Expelled



Linda Agnew  
Kent Alexander  
Edward Allen  
Andy Anderson



Barb Baker  
Rick Baker  
Cheri Bass

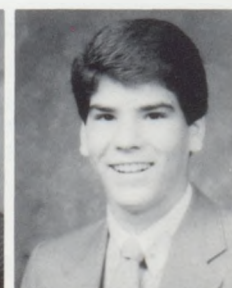


Ahh! Juniors, finally we were upperclassmen-old enough to take responsibilities. Most juniors had been able to drive for months already. We were looking for a new step to adulthood. Every student was striving to become an adult and be prepared for the future. College was becoming a reality. The thought on most juniors minds was, "What now?" Well, Laura Lee and Liz Wiegand

Larry Battani  
Amy Beasley



Dawn Bebensee





Brenda Bergsma  
Steve Betz  
Chad Blakley  
Ann Blue  
Doug Burris

Scott Carpenter  
Kim Carr  
Lynette  
Christensen  
Mark Coady

Shea Cochran  
Rod Collins  
Scott Colstrom

Dyan Dale  
Scott Dougherty  
Erika Espe



answered this by starting the climb to stardom in the modeling profession. Barb Baker joined a band "Herb" that won third place in our school's talent show. Many boys, like Curt Phelps and Rod Collins, started jobs to earn money for the future. Everyone in his or her own way was making an impact on Johnston in all areas. Coby Shank, Eric Wilson, Curt Phelps and Paul Wallin moved up to varsity in boy's basketball. In girls' varsity basketball Jana Madison, Alicia Patterson, Jill Jessen, Tory Bothwell and Dawn Bebensee made up the junior portion. Julie Hanson went to state in swimming, Jenny Roskam, Barb Baker, and Steve Betz made all-state in the choir division and there are many other achievements by juniors. The junior class of 1986 was very talented and future oriented. We also had many memorable moments and will have many more.

Opposite page top picture: Ericka Espe and Wendy Madole are "pals" in chorus. Upper left: Kelly Ahern, Barb Baker and Tory Bothwell are showing how much they love U.S. history. Upper right: Jacki Hauser and Keri Stokstad try to make it through one more day of computer science. Lower left: Hey, Scott Colstrom, the camera is this way!





The junior class was a class for differences. They had people whose interests varied from modeling, to racing cars, to actually studying. This was the class that wanted to build a huge "87" out of beer cans for the homecoming parade. Even though the junior class took drivers' education in its sophomore year, they have had an abnormally large number of car-related accidents. Kelly Ahern ran over her sister's foot and Louie Way seemed to be in ditches more than he was on the road. This class had many outstanding people in both academics and athletics. It was the smallest class in the school last year, but it always made itself heard no matter how outlandish it sounded. The junior class was a credit to J.H.S.'s character.

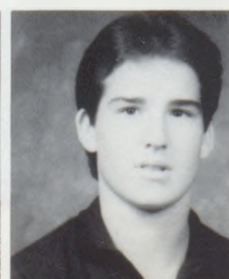
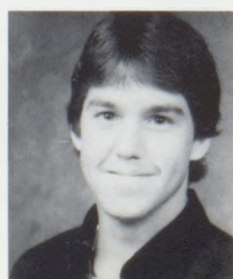


Upper left: It must be hard doing all that work with your eyes closed, Scott Daugherty. Middle right: Juniors aren't supposed to go out to lunch, Doug Glenn. Left bottom: Quite a resemblance, Keith Sellers. Top right: Paul Galloway has the G.Q. look. Middle left: Is that a good book, Eric Wilson? Opposite page left: Leslie Kirkman, Jill Jessen, and Dawn Beensee, the Brady girls. Opposite page right: "Studying U.S. History."

Jeff Everhart  
John Formaro  
Scott Friedmeyer  
Jill Friestad



Paul Galloway  
Brad German  
Robert Gilliam  
Doug Glenn







David Glunt  
Mark Greif  
Julie Hanson  
Jacki Hauser



Matthew Haviland  
Deanna Heisler  
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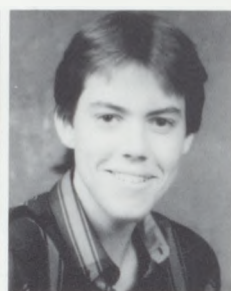
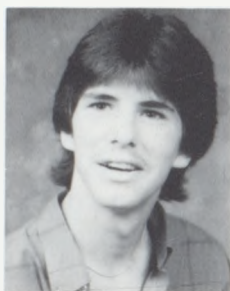


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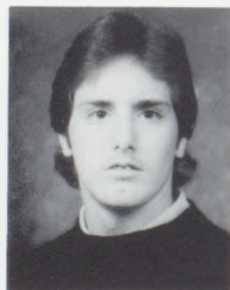
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Charles Nelson  
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Greg Olsen  
Barbara Peters  
Michael Peterson



Curt Phelps has been going to Johnston since kindergarten and has played in many of the school's activities. He is involved in the school's sports program including baseball, football and was one of the players on the varsity basketball team last year. Curt is ranked first in the junior class and when he graduates he is planning to attend West Point Academy. Curt was one of the students that participated in the French trip that took place last summer. He is just one of the junior students of last year that have the potential to succeed with life.



Curt Phelps  
Mark Piner



Bryan Quick

Middle picture: Tory Bothwell is catching some shut-eye.  
Opposite page top:  
What's so funny, Almee Sorter and Randy Rawlings? Bottom: A little slow in the office today, Joy Robbins?





Joy Robbins



Jenny Roskam  
Holly Rowles



Kiersten Scharnberg  
Scott Sellers



Coby Shank  
Michael Shattuck  
Jeff Shipley

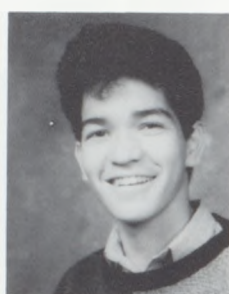
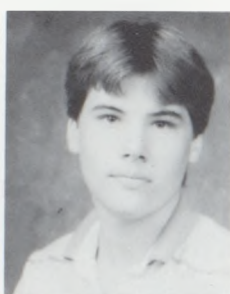


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Keri Stokstad





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Meri VanAhn  
Paul Wallin  
Louie Way



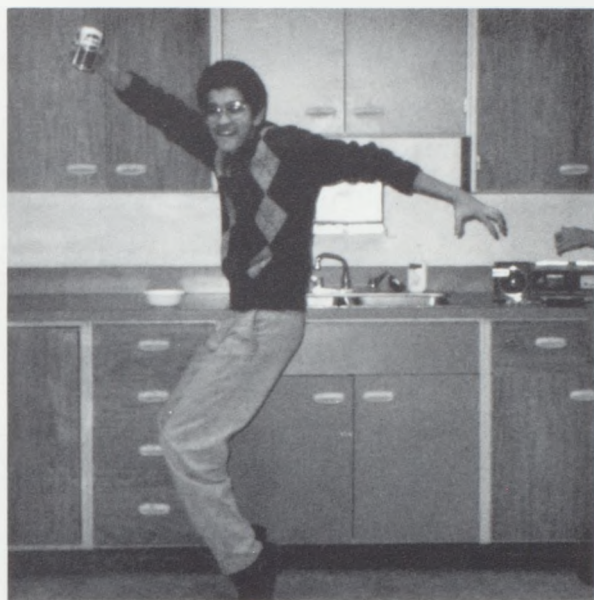
Grandville Wheeler  
Liz Wiegand  
Randy Witmer



Valerie Wolf  
Todd Woodsmall  
Greg Young







Bottom, opposite page: Steve Betz, Jenny Roskam, Leslie Kirkman, Jill Friestad and Donnie Letsch are having a private conference at lunch. Bottom left: Kelly McKenzie is doing some extra work. Can you believe it? Middle: A QQ look is performed by Eric Sunkken. Bottom middle: Can't you two try any harder at the Pep Stik, David Overstreet and Greg Young? Right: Don't look so mad, Keri Stokstad; it's only a picture. See, Barb Peters doesn't mind. Upper left: Barb Baker is attempting her "Norman" look. Upper middle: Louie Way is giving his Michael Jackson impression. Upper right: Heidi Steddum and Kiersten Scharnberg are having a slow day.

The junior class had some very interesting people with some very interesting hobbies.

One of these interesting juniors was Kiersten Scharnberg, and her hobby was autocrossing. With autocrossing one sets up a course of pylons and sees how fast he or she can go through them. It's a race against the clock. There is a two-second penalty if one hits a pylon. She's been racing for four years. Her parents, who have been racing for over ten years, got her started. She races a Brabham BT-35. There are no dangers involved for her, unless she crashes, but there are dangers for the car if she hits the curb or spins out. She said it's very exciting and it gets her adrenaline going when she gets in the car. Mainly Kiersten races on weekends, but only if the weather allows. She has raced everywhere from Texas to Kansas to Ankeny, Iowa. The amount of time involved in autocrossing is the time you put into fixing the car and driving it. Most of the people she meets are businessmen over twenty and their wives. She also meets a lot of college students. Right now racing is just a hobby, but she might someday consider going into road racing professionally after college.





Mike Adams  
Teresa Bendickson  
Teresa Budd  
Raeome Comer

Angela Allison  
Chris Bertrand  
DeAnna Carr  
Scott Commander

Jim Ballard  
Angie Bro  
Rhonda Carr  
Jason Conway

Doug Beebe  
Brian Brown  
Mark Casey  
Saylo Cun

Lisa Beggs  
David Brown  
Kenny Cockayne  
David DeCook

The 1985-1986 Sophomore class. There was no other class like them, they are what you would call "one of a kind." There may be only one word in the English language to do them justice, and that's: OUTRAGEOUS! I just wonder what they are going to be like as upper-classmen!

Upper Middle: What an outrageous smile, Jason Kreps!  
Lower Middle: Surprise Beav (David DeCook)!

# Sophomores



# New Record: Entire Sophomore Class Attends School for Two Months With No Absences!

Jenny Dings  
Jenni Gehringer  
Misy Grimes  
Teri Herald

Mike  
Feathestone  
Duane Coering  
Scott Grimes  
Jared Hill

Patrick Flower  
Sherry Gordan  
Mike Hall  
Eric Hines

Becky Gardner  
Val Gray  
Bruce Hancock  
Kris Hines

George Garvis  
Barb Grim  
Allan Hartman  
Scott Hofmann







Steve Hooper  
Jim Kaldenberg  
Vincent Kingsley  
Nicolette Larson

Kelly Huggins  
Judy Kaldenberg  
David Kinman  
Thanh Le

Chad Johnson  
Adam Keller  
Jason Kreps  
Robert Leach

Nikki Johnson  
Melissa Kerber  
Tanya  
Langworthy  
DeAnne LeClaire

One of the many outrageous sophomores is Misy Grimes. When I asked Misy what she liked to do in her free time, she simply replied, "Run marathons, surf, swim in the ocean, repel, parachute from high plains, hang glide, and ski. Well, this seems pretty amazing, Misy, especially since you haven't left the state. I sup-

pose there is more to Iowa than we thought. Misy's hobbies are basketball and softball. Quite a step down from hang gliding and repelling, wouldn't you say?

Top right: Caught ya, Mark Casey.  
Lower right: Mark Mingles & Jason Conway appear to be somewhere else.

Upper Center: Angie Bro seems to be excited.  
Center: Now here is some outrageous girls.  
Lower Center: Sorry to interrupt ya, Tim Schlenker.





Catrina Lombard  
Mark Mertens  
Annette Nelson  
Amy Prideaux  
Heidi Sample

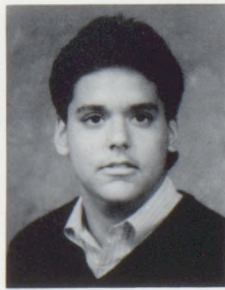
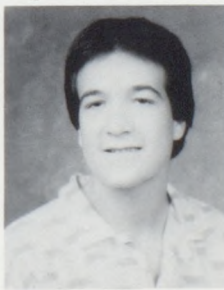
Missy Marker  
Kevin Miner  
Stephen Noble  
Brent Rankin  
Tim Schlenker

Yvonne  
McConnell  
Mark Mingles  
Rachel Olson  
Tina Rattray  
Jeff Schoondyke

Scott McWilliams  
Mark Morris  
David Paez  
Tom Rexroat  
Rod Seward



Mike Musal  
Janet Petersen  
Kara Saddoris







**Anette Sheldahl**  
**Nikki Smith**  
**Mark Tague**

**Mike Sheldon**  
**Cale Sponsler**  
**Robert Terrill**

**Alicia Shelton**  
**Jinni Strand**  
**Karen Thomas**

**Robbie Slavin**  
**Dan Strickland**  
**Tonya Thoren**

**David Smith**  
**Trey Strong**



Jason Kreps is a more peaceful, but outrageous student. Jason likes to sit at home and watch "Leave it to Beaver." Maybe I shouldn't use the term "peaceful"; come to think of it, some of those episodes can get pretty violent-right, Jason? Although Jason has no hobbies, he would like to play professional football, be a photographer, and/or be a pilot. Well, Jason-good luck!

The perfect example of an outrageous sophomore is Debbie Welsh. This girl has a thrive for life that just will not quit. For example, only Debbie would try for a goal of judging Mr. America contests for a career-what girl wouldn't? In Deb's free time she likes to (get this) sing along with the radio as loud as she possibly can. Whenever her parents aren't around-that is. Who knows, maybe on a clear night we will be able to hear Debbie "singing along" with Van Halen?????



**Not Pictured:**  
**Robert Jensen**  
**Brad Rascola**  
**Lance Thorton**  
**Steve Twist**  
**Matthew Whitney**



The sophomores got a new outrageous student named Sherry Bieghler. Sherry enjoys talking on the phone, listening to the tunes, and going to parties. Sounds like she is going to fit in with this outrageous bunch. Sherry really enjoys working with kids because she would like to work in a day-care center after she graduates. Well, Sherry, welcome to the outrageous group at J.H.S.

Okay-here's a real outrageous sophomore for you. His name? Mike Sheldon. Mike is the kind of guy that likes a challenge. He likes his metals and drafting classes best because they test his skills. When Mike has free time, he's a real sportsman. He enjoys hunting and fishing. Another sport Mike likes is golf, one of his many hobbies. Professionally, Mike wants to be an electronic engineer. Simply outrageous, Mike!

Middle Left: Mindy and Cale, what an outrageous couple!

Bottom: Everyone seems to be working except for Jinni Strand

Top: Alan Hartman learns to type (I think?)

Middle Right: "Who are you talking to Kara Sadoris?"

Todd Tilley  
Mike Watne  
Kim Wiegand

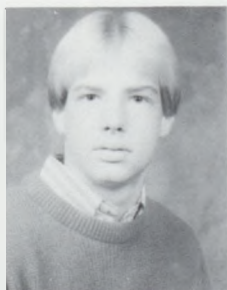
Karen Trees  
Mindy Webb  
Rodney Wildrick

Chrissy Trometer  
Neil Wecker  
Jennifer Winders

Jason VanAusdall  
Debbie Welsh  
Lawrence Young



Brad Voorhees  
Brian White



# Class Trip to Asylum Becomes Permanent

## *Freshmen*

Robert Agnew  
Allen Anderson  
Denise Bacon  
Jeff Beck  
Mark Blanchard

Molly Ahern  
Chip Anderson  
Mathew Baker  
Stephanie Berry  
Kari Bobst

Ryann  
Alexander  
Todd Arnold  
Scott Bass  
William Bierle  
Danny Botkins

The freshman class of 1986 was mostly very mature and self-assured; some freshmen, of course, were roaming the halls, scared of the new school and eager to be accepted.

"There were many talented students in sports, music, and scholastics" said Darren Young. Darren was involved in basketball, track, baseball and many music activities. Darren believes his class will go to state in basketball and had many good leaders as freshmen.

Anne Arthur  
Brad Bauman  
Eric Blair

Jason Battani  
Gordon Blades







Ryan Chamberlain  
Trina Cooney



Clint Cavanah  
Lee Cochran  
Zachary Dieter



Anne Patterson has been running for five years and has won several fun runs in distances ranging from two to eight miles. Anne participated in track last year and set her goal of running the two-mile division in twelve minutes. She was involved in concert and pep band and freshman basketball.

Anne commented on her class's involvement in school activities and said they were a good, behaved class.

Jill Swallow was involved in softball and various music activities such as Sound Advice and band. She feels her class is very talented and will go far at Johnston.

Joe Boulanger  
Corrie Chatterton  
Cindy Cory  
Jennifer Doak  
Jennifer Fowler

Heather Brannon  
Chad Christianson  
Shawn Culp  
Dale Dubois  
Alex Fulmer

Christine Brown  
Tawnia Clarkson  
Ramon Daily  
Richard Dunn  
Noah Gaudineer



Top picture: Kim Lundy and Joani Moller are "avoiding" the camera again.

Kari Gay	Kim Genovese
Barbara Gibson	Andrew Glunt
Wendy Hansen	Shelaine Harbart
Krista Highland	Laura Holgate
Cathy Jeffries	Allison Johnston

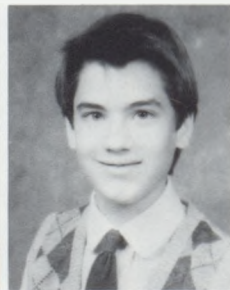


Robert Nielson was very interested in the space program. He has been ever since he could remember. He remembered seeing a rocket launch when he was nine and it sparked a life-long love of space. Robert is involved in the music department and has performed in Johnston's Fun-fest and Purple Party. He had a lead in the school musical and received second place in the all-school talent show.

David Gomis	Todd Grantham
Chad Harris	Todd Hartle
Janelle Holst	Lisa Hopping
Chris Jones	Jason Kampas



Joshua  
Heatheringington  
Kelly Hulsebus







Upper left: Jami Reese  
tries to act casual. Lower left: Heather  
Brannon and Ryan Alexander goof off  
during passing times.



Jason Kerber  
Diane Kimble



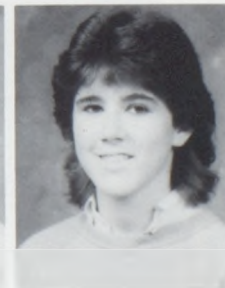
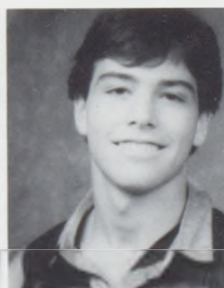
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Stephen Kugley



Melissa Lami  
Kevin Larsen  
Khanh Le  
Paul Lee



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Sharon Lindstorm



Kim Lundy  
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Ted Marlin  
Kasey McAnelly



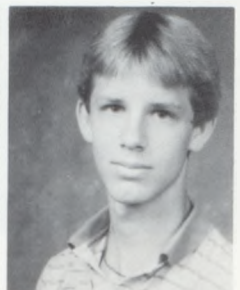
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Jennifer Myer



Mark Nemmers  
Penny Nichols  
Robert Nielsen  
Greg Ojendyk



Laurie Papenheim  
Anne Patterson  
Laura Phelps  
Tammy Phillips



Tammy Pierce  
Brad Piner  
Michelle Polder  
Alan Pooch



Erin Quick  
Scott Reaney  
Jami Reese



Corrie Chatterton, fourteen and a freshman at J.H.S., has been twirling the baton for seven years. Corrie started twirling with her mother teaching her. She has competed in many states and won many awards. She placed fifth in the world at the T-Strut Competition. She also has won several state titles, such as Pre-Teen Miss Majorette of

Lisa Rittgers  
Brian Sheesley





Iowa in South Bend, Indiana, and placed fourteenth in open solo. She plans to continue show twirling through college. She twirled for the school at football games, parades, and some basketball games. So if you're at any of these events, watch for Corrie!

Amy Smith  
Tina Snyder



Lower middle: Clint Cavannah, Eric Blair, Jeff Beck, and Scott Maasen enjoy the school lunch.

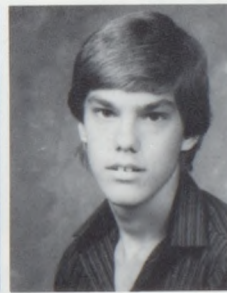
Shannon Sorter  
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Aaron Sunkten



Jill Swallow  
Cassie Thompson  
Steven Thompson  
Rachelle Thran



Ken Tjaden  
Jodi VanHorn  
Mark VanderLinden  
Edward Weir



Jennifer Westover  
Jennifer Wilkinson  
Ronald Williams  
Darren Young

James Young



Not Pictured  
Marcia Greif  
Troy Raines  
Scott Sellers  
Richard Wanicki





# Administration Lets Students Rule School

This was Mr. Barry Ratterree's third year as principal at Johnston. With the new housing and apartment complexes along with Green Meadows, Mr. Ratterree was kept very busy with 74 new students.

Mrs. Maurine Morris was a great asset to our school. She typed memos, did the announcements, and kept the office in order.

Mr. Don Lang, our counselor, was extra busy last year with a new class, peer helper. Students learned how they might be helpful in helping their peers with their problems.

A new member to the faculty was Mrs. Kathryn Zaun. She moved here from the Kansas City, Missouri area to be our half-time counselor.

Mrs. Rose Busby, was another one of our great secretaries. She assisted Mr. Lang and sold lunch tickets.

Mrs. Kim Cisna was our school nurse. The students counted on her when they weren't feeling well, or for just simple things like a band-aid.

Top left: Mrs. Morris is hard at work in the office. Top right: Mrs. Busby takes a break to give us a smile. Top middle: Members of the Johnston



school board: Doyle Sanders, Barb Allen, Dale Belknap, Superintendent Louis Friestad, Le Main, and Don Hall.

stalking the halls. Middle right: Mr. Lang gives us a helpful grin. Bottom left: Mrs. Cisna is busy doing what she



# School Falls Apart When Custodians and Cooks Go On Strike

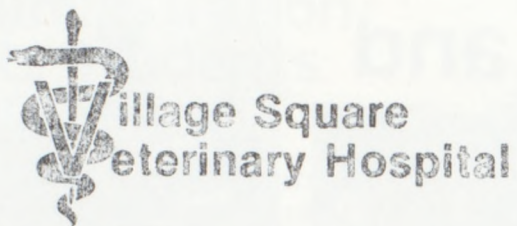


The custodians of Johnston High School, helped keep our school in excellent condition. Roger Fussleman was the maintenance supervisor. Tim Kline, Dean Nebuda, Jeff Jayne, Everette Bradford, Al Campbell, Steve Zimzon, and Tom Comer were the other custodians who made our school a cleaner place to attend school.

The people who helped give the students energy and kept them going, were the school cooks. Libbie Breen, Theresea Peters, and Norma Wallin set up and prepared most of our meals.

Both the custodians and the cooks were kept busy with the larger student enrollment. Their hard work was well-appreciated by everyone.

Top right corner: Roger Fussleman is taking a break from his hard work. Top middle: Don't look shocked, Libbie Breen! Lower middle : Norma Wallin, Theresea Peters, and Libbie Breen are slaving away. Lower left: Tim Kline is looking sneaky.



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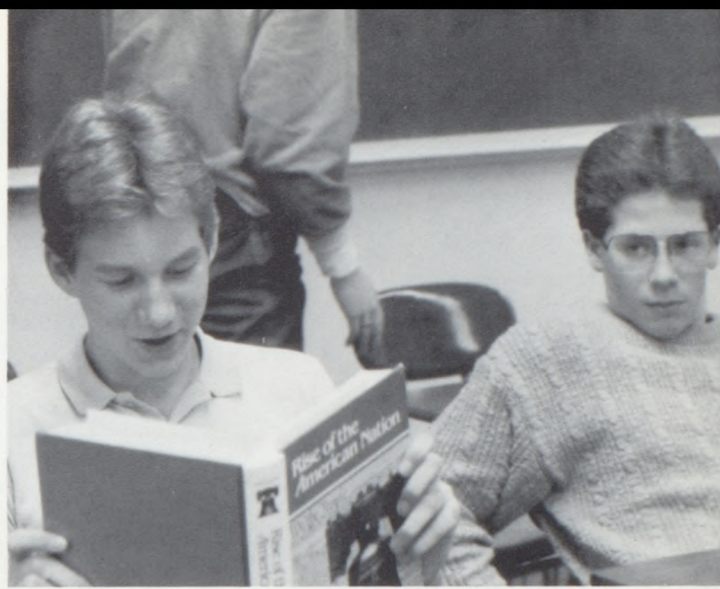
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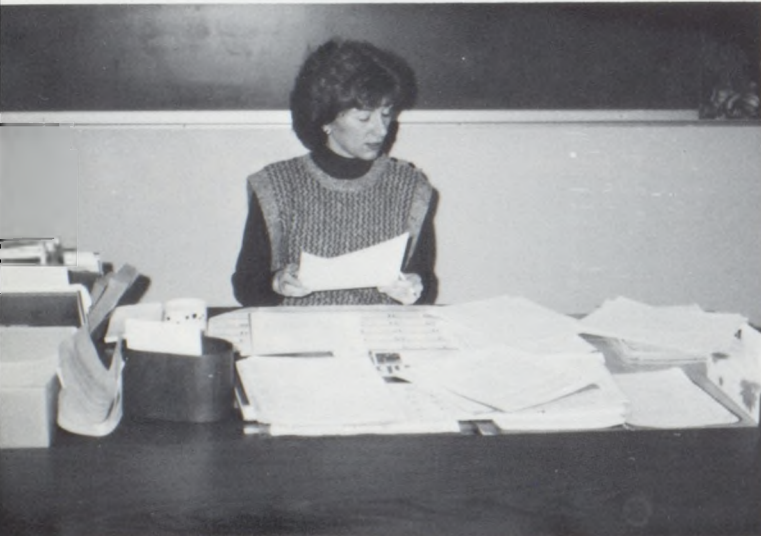
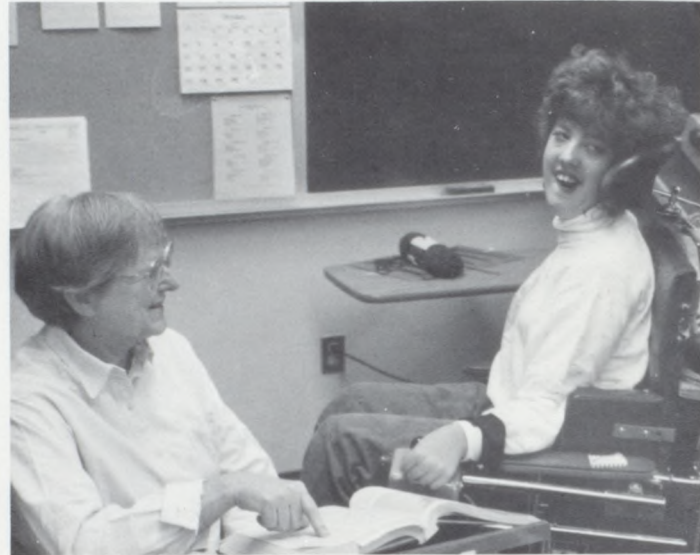








# Five Johnston Wheelchair Students Arrested for Drag Racing in Halls



Four teachers taught the special education classes last year; they were Mrs. Mary Gardner, Mrs. Diane Benjamin, Mrs. Vicki Shields, and Mrs. Kathy Pitzen.

Mrs. Gardner's students did various activities. They went to a fieldtrip to tour the Des Moines skywalk system and they went to the Saylorville Lake Visitor Center. In the classroom they worked on the computer, studied spelling, math and language; and some of the students like Mary VanAhn attended regular classes. Mary enjoyed taking

U.S. History and psychology.

Mrs. Benjamin worked with the students that needed a little extra help in their studies.

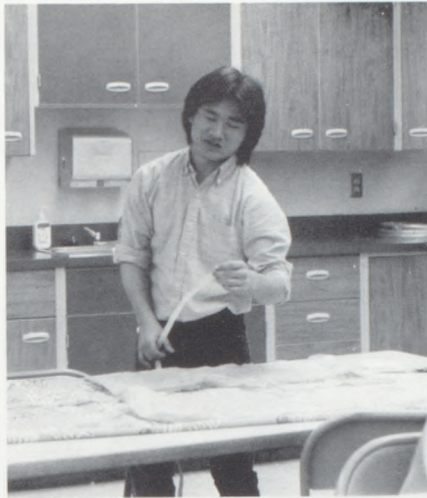
Mrs. Shields worked with the L.D. students. Mrs. Pitzen worked with the S.C.I.N. students. These students received individual lessons, and got the help they needed in their homework.

Mrs. Penny Milburn was another one of the special education teachers. She worked with the P.H. children in the pre-school handicapped room.

Top left: Mrs. Diane Benjamin. Middle left: Mrs. Pitzen gives the camera a smile. Lower left: Mrs. Shields, are you camera shy? Upper right: Mrs. Gardner and Mary VanAhn share a laugh while studying. Lower right: Mrs. Milburn is working with the children in the pre-school handicapped room.



# Food Classes Taken to People's Court on Charges of Food Poisoning



Mrs. Molly Lauen has been teaching Johnston home economics classes for ten years. She taught Foods I and II, clothing I and II, skills for living and child development. The clothing classes put on a fashion show at the Bishop Drumm Home with the clothes they had made. The child development classes had the responsibility of taking care of an egg "child" for one week. The skills for living classes were taught responsibility by job and apartment hunting. The foods classes were left to plan and prepare an entire meal by themselves.

These classes were fun as well as educational.

Upper left: Lauri Phelps takes a break from sewing. Upper middle: Saylo Cun works hard on his project. Upper right: Mrs. Lauen shows her class how to cook. Middle left: Hungry Mark Morris? Middle right: Coby Shank, did you make a boo-boo? Bottom left: Kelly Ahern and Teresa Bendickson seem a bit pre-occupied. Bottom right: Did you get a bad grade, Scott Daugherty?







Business, math, and computers. Where would the world be without them? Everyone knows the role they play in today's society. Wouldn't you like to know about the people that bring these wonderful subjects to you?

Let's start with Mr. Floyd Lancaster. Mr. Lancaster has been at Johnston for thirty-two years. He taught analytical geometry, calculus, topical math, trigonometry, statistics, computers, and his favor-



Opposite page, top left: Tracey Thompson gets a helping hand from Mr. Lancaster. Top right: Don't worry, Rayci Tull, Kerry Pierce will be able to do his own homework someday. Middle left: What's going on here? Could it be that general business class is hard at work? Bottom left: Nice grin, Mr. Oldham. Middle right: Mr. Gross gives us the victory sign. Bottom right: What are you doing, Mr. Gross? Top: James Crockett and Roger Page get a math lesson from Mrs. Van Farowe. Middle: Now Kaisha Stevenson and Heather Brannon have joined in. Bottom: Joel Johnson goofs off while Mr. Lancaster has his attention somewhere else.





# Johnston Hackers Change Course of Soviet Missiles

ite, geometry. When Mr. Lancaster was not busy with his classes he liked to golf. He has been married for thirty-five years and has two sons.

Next is Mr. Don Gross. Mr. Gross has taught at Johnston for seventeen years. He taught pre-algebra, Algebra I, and Algebra II, his favorite.

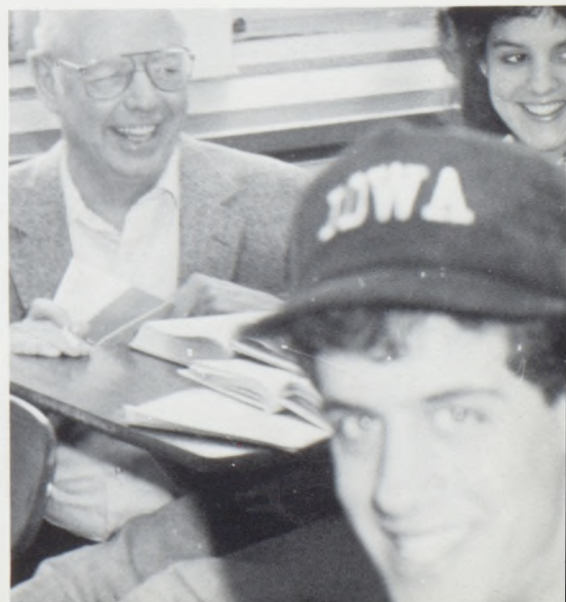
Besides being an avid fan of Iowa football, Mr. Gross also likes to golf. Mr. Gross has been married for four year and has three children.

Mr. Craig Oldham has been teaching at Johnston for fourteen years and taught such classes as: general business, practical record keeping, Typ-

ing I and Accounting I. He likes the computers in his Accounting II class. Mr. Oldham enjoyed coaching the girls' Varsity track team and going to his ten- and twelve year-old children's softball games. Mr. Oldham has been married for seventeen years.

The newest of our math teachers was Mrs. Kay VanFarowe. She has substituted at Johnston for fifteen years, but just for the past two years she worked full-time. Mrs. VanFarowe taught pre-algebra, bus-

iness math, and geometry, her personal favorite. She likes to travel, garden, and re-finish antique furniture. She has three children that all graduated from Johnston. Mrs. VanFarowe has been married for thirty years.



# 99% of English Teachers at J.H.S. Cannot Speak English

Students have been learning English ever since they were born.

English classes at Johnston consist of English 9 and 9B, speech, sophomore English, advanced composition, communications in media, English 10B, contemporary novel, annual, English 11, English 12 and junior English A and B.

The English teachers were Mrs. Betty Doolittle, Mrs. Mary Moermond, Mrs. Marilyn Tews, and Ms. Donella Warren. Two of the English teachers will be leaving J.H.S. Last year was Mrs. Doolittle's last year teach-

ing, for she has retired after teaching a J.H.S. for 12 years. Mrs. Mary Moermond is taking a year off, to attend the University of Iowa to get her Master's degree.

Ms. Donnella Warren, a new English teacher here last year said, "I enjoyed sharing in the learning experiences with students. It's fun to grow together."

Upper right: Did you forget something, Erin Quick? Middle left: Mrs. Moermond, French and English teacher. Middle right: Mrs. Doolittle, English teacher. Lower left: Scott Dougherty gives us that sultry look. Lower middle: Ms. Warren, English





# Seniors Blow Up LMC Last Day of School

Upper Left: Coby Shank, are you giving the silent treatment to Michelle Mitchum?

Upper Right: Barb Peters and Lynette Johnston show off their funny faces.

Middle Left: Don't look so busy, Keith Sellers and Troy Kidd.

Lower Left: Johnston High School's own Mrs. Babcock!



The J.H.S. library had changed a lot since the 1984-85 school year. We had a new library aide in the library. Her name is Mrs. Cookie Cranston.

There was also a new rule in the library last year. Students were not permitted to go to the LMC unless they were planning to use the library resources.

Mrs. Cranston said she felt the rules weren't as strict as before. She wanted the library to be used for its abilities and not for a study hall. She was here to supervise the high school library so Mrs. Babcock can be able to keep all three Johnston libraries in order and have more time do to this.

Mrs. Cranston also said suspensions were down from last year, and the library was kept orderly in a more respectful fashion.



Middle: Are we having a better time than we should be in the library, Dave Overstreet, Glnni Strand and Almee Sorter?

Lower Right: Did you get moved to the front of the library for talking, Scott Daugherty?



# French Classes Take Field Trip to Paris for the Weekend



French students got a few surprises last year. To begin with, French II sophomores had some freshmen classmates because they had taken French I in the eighth grade.

French II and French III got a most pleasant surprise when Mrs. Moermond announced that this year's trip to France would include a homestay with a real French family in Nice for one week of the three weeks of the trip. The homestay is \$290, with everything included. The trip also included a train ride to Nice on the Riviera.

The French students planning on the trip, were going to fund-raise with the selling of flowers at Valentine's Day, candy and other fund raising events at Fun Night.



Upper Left: The French III class is hard at work?

Middle: Susan Wilkenson and Stacey Meary make up the French IV class.

Lower Right: Mrs. Moermond, our beloved French teacher.



# Foreign Exchange Student to be next Mr. Universe



In Spanish classes, the students had a few new experiences in the 1985-86 school year. Even the teacher, as well as the students, had an interesting year. To begin with, she had a new name --Mrs. Rash-- instead of Mrs. Rockhold. She had another unexpected experience when she was asked to teach over at the Middle School. She teaches eighth graders Spanish I ninth hour.



All Spanish students got a pleasant surprise when Mrs. Rash announced that she was to have a student-teacher. His name was Miguel Ceron and he was from the Yucatan. As well as helping out Mrs. Rash, he was also enrolled in some classes. Miguel was taking English, computers, and a design class. When asked,

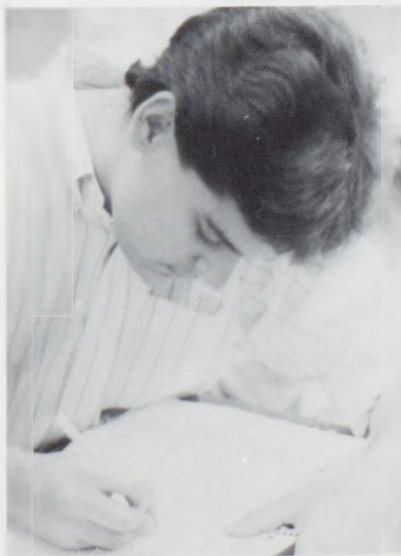
"What do you like about the U.S.?" Miguel answered, "The girls." What else does he like? "The girls," he answered with a snicker. Finally he said, "I like your cities, schools, the clothes, and the pizza." He also thought his schools back home should have study halls. He loved our school's study halls.

Upper left: Geez, what are you looking at, Jeff Shipley?

Middle: Smile pretty Miguel, it's an American custom.

Middle right: Jeff Schoondyke tries to study for an upcoming Spanish test.

Lower right: Mrs. Rash tries to control her Spanish III class.



# History Teachers Build Time Machine, to Relive the Roaring '20's

Upper Right: Mr. Harswick gives us the Kojak look. Upper Left: Mr. Pitz is considered one of the world's best joke tellers. Lower Right: The sophomores are having fun in world studies. Lower Left: Mr. Carver takes time out to help his students.

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Upper right corner: Mr. Dennis Briggs. Upper right: Mr. Mike Partington. Middle right: Mr. Mahoney is looking sly. Middle left: Chemistry whizzes: Diana Snell, Rayne Knudson, Wendy Madole, Steph Speer, and Dawn Bebensee. Lower left: Todd Woodsmall is looking dangerous in chemistry lab. Lower right: All the freshmen are hard at work in earth science.

Anything you've ever wanted to know about history can be found out from our three history teachers. They are Mr. David Pitz, Mr. John Carver, and Mr. Marty Harswick.

Mr. Pitz taught government to the seniors. He taught them how the government began, and how it works now. He also made sure students knew who their local politicians were. Mr. Pitz helped make the class more enjoyable with all of his "funny" jokes. He was also active as the S.A.D.D. sponsor.

Mr. Carver taught the juniors U.S. history. The students learned about the early history of our country, and how the pilgrims came over to the New World. The juniors also learned about many of the hardships that our country has faced over the years. Mr. Carver gave the students an interesting outlook on our country's history.

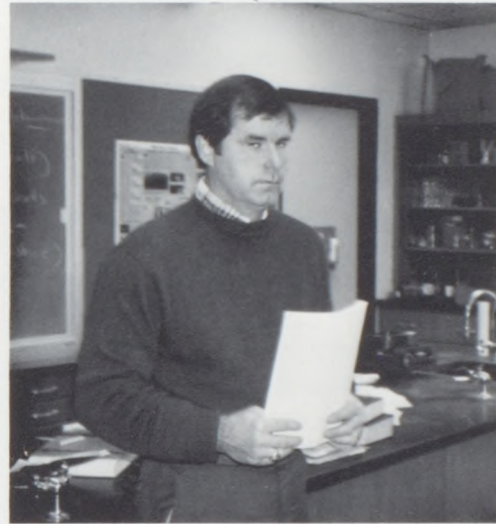
Mr. Harswick taught world studies to the sophomores. They learned about many of the different cultures in the world and how their governments are run.

History is an important part of our everyday life. These three classes helped us learn and appreciate our country.





# Mad Student Scientists Blow Up Science Room



Mr. Dennis Briggs taught earth science. This class was for the freshmen. They learned about the composition of the earth. By the end of the year they could tell the name of many rocks on the planet Earth.

Mr. James Mahoney taught biology to the sophomores and advanced biology to those seniors who chose to take the course. In biology the students learned about the evolution of man. The students also learned about the heart

and how it worked. On one test they had to name every bone in the body!

In advanced biology students studied genetics and embryology. During the first five weeks of the class the students watched films and witnessed the live birth of a baby, which everyone in the class found very interesting.

Mr. Mike Partington taught basic science, chemistry, and physics. In basic science the students learned the fundamentals of science. In chemis-

try students learned the make-up of all materials-chemicals. They also learned how to use the lab, and figure out mind-boggling problems.

In physics students learned about matter and energy and how they interact. They also know to be prepared for one of Mr. Partington's famous pop quizzes.

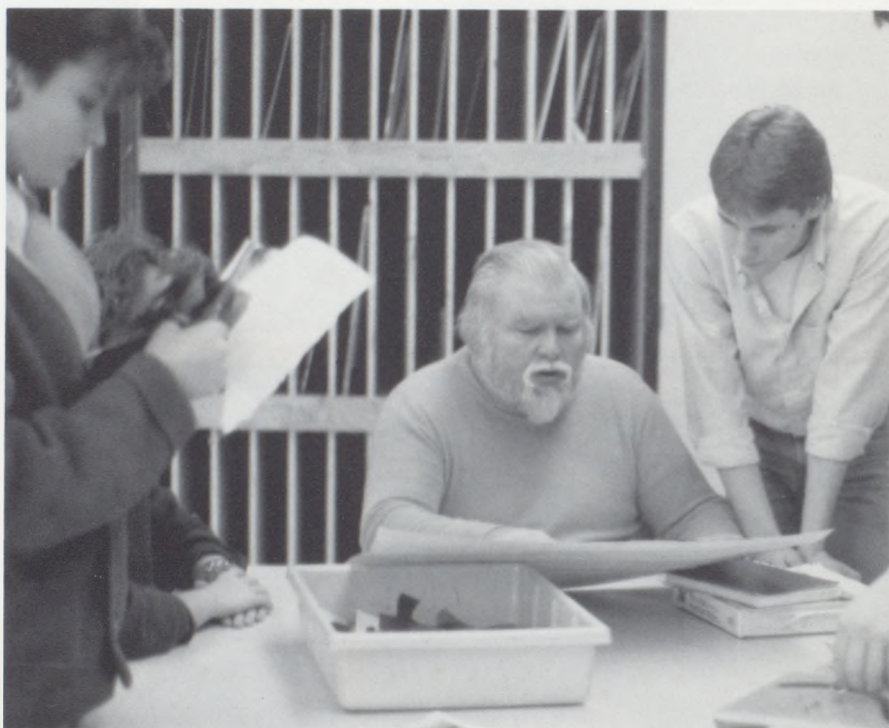
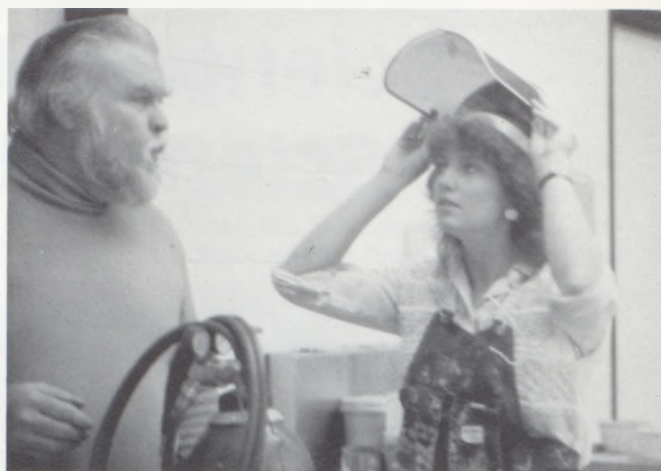
Science is a very important part of our life. Since the science and technology fields are opening up, these classes are essential.



# Art Classes Burn Down School with Blow Torch

Mr. Noah, the art teacher here at J.H.S. has decided to retire after twenty years of teaching. What he liked about teaching here was the community support and involvement. He disliked the fact that he had such a very short time here. His classes consisted of Art I, where students learned the basics of color and design, pottery, sculpture and line form. In Art II students advanced from Art I and used concepts in a more sophisticated way. In design the use, color, value, space, form and subjects are the center of interest. In photo art, students learned various techniques of photography. Mr. Noah plans to operate his own business, travel, develop his own artwork in painting, and fish when he retires. Enjoy, Mr. Noah!

Upper Right: Dawn Bebensee, what planet did you come from? Upper Middle: Mr. Noah helps Pat Cramer improve his creativity. Lower Right: Scott Bass and Chad Harris decide to cut away at magazines. Lower Left: Mike Everett is painting so chic.





# Monster Robot Created in Industrial Arts Classes



The Industrial Arts classes did many things last year. Some of the students made glass figurines, tables, and other tricky items. Mr. Whitaker even placed certain items in a display case by the drafting room and by the counselor's office. Some tools were also placed in the cabinet to help make other students aware of the instruments used in wood-making. Mr. Whittaker taught the woods, Metals I, Metals II, materials process, drafting and small engines classes. Last year's Industrial Arts classes seemed like a promising one.



Top left: What are you so happy about, Heidi Sample? Bottom left: Dave Sharon pretends to be working. Top right: Mr. Whitaker tries to teach class while being interrupted by a photographer. Lower middle right: Randy Rowlings seems to be working hard in drafting class. Upper middle right: Adam Keller, be careful! Lower right: Jenny Fowler is beating you, Scott Maasen!



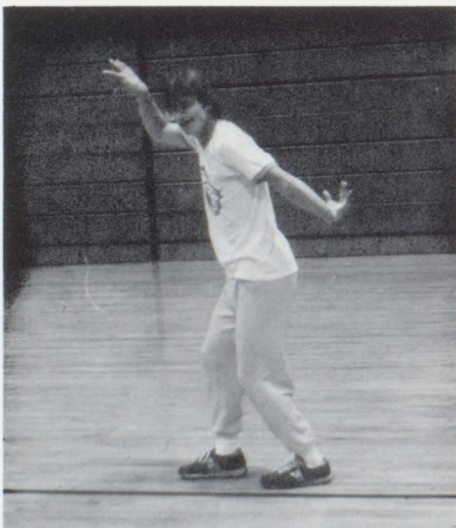
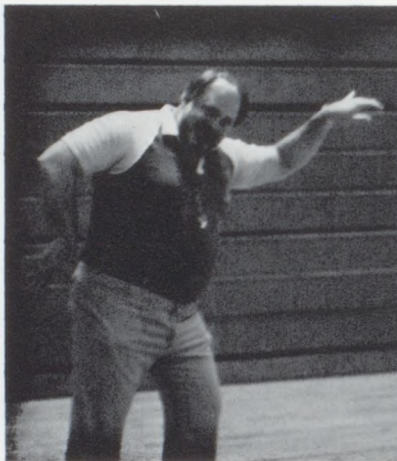
# Phy. Ed. Teachers Kidnapped by Abominable Snowman on Ski Trip

Physical education was taught by Ms. Cheryl Crawford and Mr. Larry Strickler. Ms. Crawford will not be here next year, as she is taking a leave of absence.

Many activities were taught throughout the year such as volleyball, basketball, badminton, floor hockey, bowling, ice skating and skiing.

Last year the sophomores and freshmen went on an all-day ice skating trip to the Des Moines Ice Arena. Those who didn't know how to skate tried to stay on their feet and/or hung on to the sides of the arena to stay up. Some who knew how to skate were racing against each other. They had a fun time. Some said they would like to go again and others preferred not to.

Last year, also, seniors and juniors took an all-day ski trip to Boone, Iowa. The beginners



took a lesson while others whipped through the skiing courses. Some students said they were on the ground more than they would've liked to have been, but they got up and started down the hill

again. Students said it was a lot of fun and they learned a lot from it. They hope to go again next year.

Physical education gave everyone a chance to learn and participate in something

new. It was a class where students could get away from homework and studying.

Upper left: Don't just stand there Jim Smith, help Cory Prideaux! Middle left: Ms. Cheryl Crawford. Middle Right: Mr. Larry Strickler. Lower left: *Swan Lake*, Scott Daugherty will never do. Lower right: David Mollenhauer shows off his running form.



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## Journalists Win Pulitzer Prize for "Best Yearbook Produced"!



Annual is a class that required patience, dedication, and a lot of hard work. Patience required because other students, as well as the advisor, can really get on your nerves. Dedication is an absolute requirement because the whole yearbook depends on your work getting done. If one person doesn't live up to his or her commitment, the book won't be completed on time. Being on the staff also demands a lot of hard work. Writing copy, making layouts, and typing the copy all have to be done by a certain deadline.

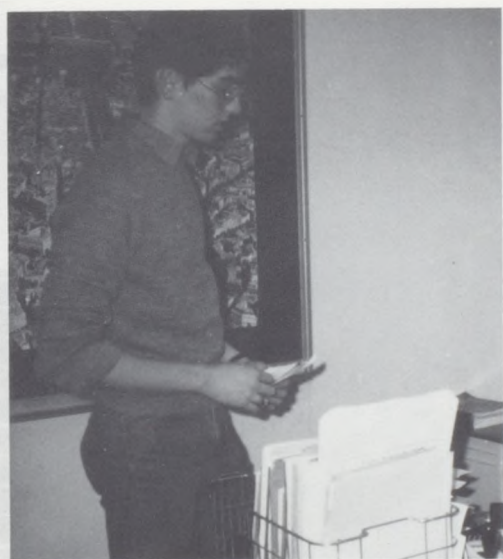
Last year in annual we tried something new that saved us some money. We did the first step of producing the yearbook. We did this with a new piece of equipment called a light board. This was done as an experiment to see if it would be worth the money saved. There were nine members on the annual staff last year, three seniors and six juniors. Only two members had been on the annual staff before --Sheryl Larsen and Pam Prediger, who were co-editors. Our advisor was Mrs. Mary Moermond. She has been stuck with this job because no one else wants to take on such an ungratifying task. She has been **somewhat** patient in putting up with whining students and late assignments. Thanks a lot M.O.M.!







Page 72-Upper left: Co-editors P. Prediger and S. Larsen pose for the camera. Upper right: Annual is not all fun, as shown by H. Rowles and A. Sorter. Middle: K. Scharnberg, C. Bass and K. Stokstad are working hard on their layouts. Bottom: The 1985-86 annual staff: Mrs. Mary Moermond-sponsor, Scott Colstrom-photographer, Holly Rowles, Steph Speer, Aimee Sorter, Keri Stokstad, Pam Prediger-co-editor, Sheryl Larsen-co-editor, Cheri Bass, Kiersten Scharnberg. Page 73-Top: P. Prediger and S. Speer are showing S. Larsen that three heads are better than one. Middle left: S. Colstrom asks Mrs. Moermond a question about his pictures. Middle right: A normal day in annual class with S. Colstrom, H. Rowles and K. Scharnberg. Lower left: K. Scharnberg and C. Bass are working on copy for the book. Lower right: S. Speer and P. Prediger are having a blast in annual!





Last year was the first year at Johnston for Mr. Rick Albrecht. He had taught at Woodward Granger before coming to Johnston. In Mr. Albrecht's own words, "The band had a very good time and had a good year. There was a drastic change between first and second semester, and since so few seniors were left, the band will still, hopefully, do well next year. The concert band always knew when to work and when to play", said Mr. Albrecht. One good example of this is their excellent

## CONCERT BAND



### FLUTE

Cindy Jeffries  
Jennifer Myer  
Janelle Holst  
Jill Swallow  
Angie Allison  
Pam Christofferson  
Nikki Smith  
Anne Patterson  
Dee Kruse

### ALTO SAX

Bryan Etchen  
Todd Friestad  
Larry Battani  
Amy Smith

### TENOR SAX

Mark Piner  
Scott Phipps  
Lisa Timmerman

### TROMBONE

Tom Lord  
Rod Collins  
Steve Brown  
Paul Wallin  
Andy Glunt  
Josh Hetherington  
Corey Prideaux

### BARITONE

Todd Hartle



rating (II) at the Iowa High School Music Association Large Group Contest. They also performed at the football games and pepped up the crowds when the team was behind.



"We did very well in concerts and had several good soloists," said Bryan Etchen.

"When the work was completed, the band had some fun; playing softball before the seniors left was one of the highlights," said Lisa Timmerman.

Between marching and playing concerts and contests, the band had a busy year and worked hard.

# Concert Band to Play at Superbowl

Top left opposite page: The band is preparing for the concert. Middle: The Johnstons High School Concert Band performing its spring concert. Top right: The trumpet section is doing some warming up. Top left: The trombone section seems to be performing well. Lower left: Mr. Albrecht is hard at work. Lower: The band it performing at one of its concerts. Middle: Aren't you all wondering how Tracey Thompson can play so well with her eyes shut?

## CLARINET

Julie Hanson  
Suzanne Ober  
Tracey Thompson  
Anne Arthur  
DeAnna Carr  
Laurie Papenheim  
Corrie Chatterton  
Mary Wheeler  
Jenny Wilkinson  
Jackie Hauser  
Val Wolf

## BARI SAX

Mike Watne  
Alex Fulmer

## TRUMPET

Scott Grimes  
David Paez  
Mark Shervheim  
Jennifer Doak  
Dale Dubois  
Don Letsch  
Brad Piner

## TUBA

Eric Suntken  
Brad Bauman

## BASS CLARINET

Alan Poock

## PERCUSSION

Mark Gilson  
Jason Battani  
Lawrence Young  
Aaron Suntken

## OBOE

Debbie Grimes

## FRENCH HORN

Leslie Timmerman  
Brian Brown







Page 76, Top: The 1985-86 Jazz Band: Brad Hartman, Mark Gilson, Mark Shervheim, Scott Crimes, David Paez, Lisa Timmerman, Jennifer Doak, Eric Suntken, Todd Friestad, Anne Arthur, Mark Piner, Steve Brown, Bryan Etchen, Tom Lord, Todd Hartle, Cindy Jeffries, Rod Collins, Mike Watne, Leslie Timmerman, Alex Fulmer. Middle: Todd Friestad is jamming during his solo. Bottom: Jazz Band is playing its favorite song. Page 77, Top: The marching band seniors are trying to get across their message, "Class of '86 #1!" Bottom: Lisa Timmerman gives the crowd her "Mary Lou" wave.

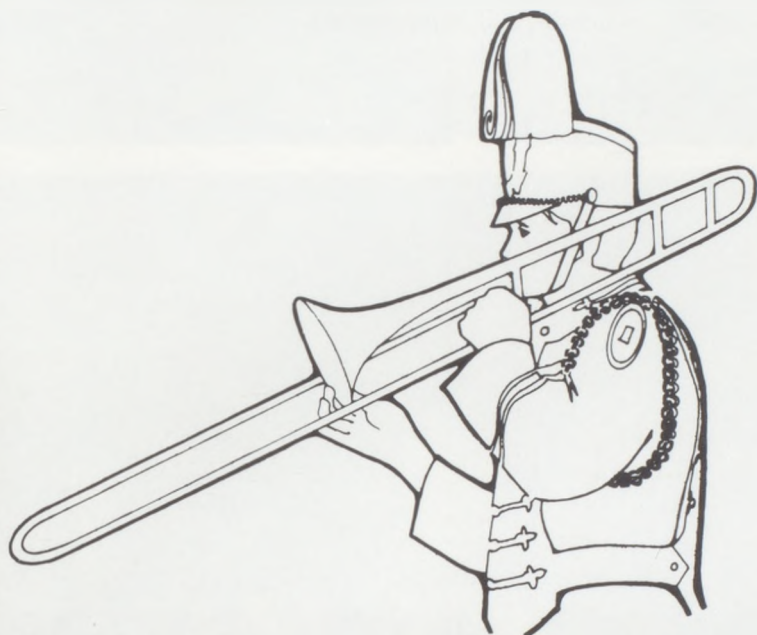
Last year's jazz band consisted of 19 members. It participated in several contests in which the band did very well. They went to the S.C.I.B.A. Jazz Festival where Todd Friestad, Mark Piner, and Tom Lord were outstanding soloists. At Central College Jazz Mania they received third place and Todd Friestad was an outstanding soloist. They received sixth place at the Hoover Jazz Festival and outstanding soloists were Bryan Etchen, Tom Lord, Todd Friestad, Brad Hartman. The biggest accomplishment of the band was receiving a Division I rating at the I.H.S.M.A. Jazz Contest. It was the first year the Johnston jazz band had done this well. Congratulations, jazz band and Mr. Albrecht!



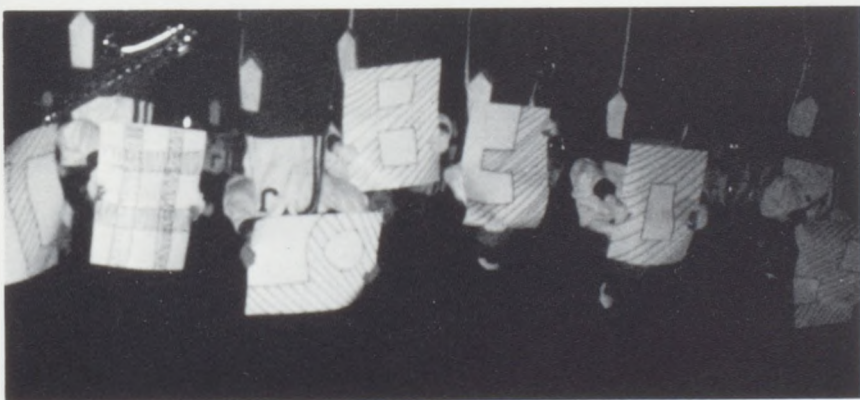
## Jazz Band Goes to N.Y. to Play at Famous Night Club



# Marching Band Invited to Pasadena for Rose Bowl Parade



Last year was Mr. Rick Albrecht's first year as band instructor at Johnston. Marching band didn't have a very successful season. Over half of its rehearsals were rained out, along with two football games, one which was a downpour. There were 59 members in marching band and freshman Corrie Chatterson was the band's majorette. The band didn't participate in any contests, but they did take part in Johnston's Homecoming parade and also in the Drake Relays parade. Hopefully next year's season won't be as wet and the band will be able to participate in the football games.







The 1985-86 year was an extraordinary one for Johnston's choir. For the first quarter we had a new director, Mrs. Susan Eck; she helped out with the choir while Mrs. White was on leave with the birth of her baby, Jonna. Mrs. Eck had a big job to accomplish with a concert in October and the most students in Johnston's history—one hundred and thirty to be exact.

When Mrs. White was able to resume her teaching, she started off the choir with a sight-reading lesson to help the students read music better. Then they started the musical, *TEEN II*. The musical was about a young boy named David, played by Steve Betz, coming to a new school and trying to be accepted. Julie, played by Barb Baker, tried to help David adjust to the new school. Other members of the leading cast were: Jill Jessen, Michelle Mitchum, Scott Commander, and Erika Espe as the "Toughs" and Scott Grimes, Allen Anderson, and Crystal Keown as the "Preppies." Bryan, the jealous boyfriend in the musical, was played by Robert Nielson.



The chorus had a lot of fun putting the musical on and learning the art of choreography.

In the spring we performed in our formal concert. "This gave everyone a chance to be exposed to all forms of music," said Mrs. White. She felt that last year went very well and hoped to have the chance to teach that number of students again this year.

Top left, bottom row: A. Allison, J. Jessen, E. Espe, K. Ahern, C. Jeffries, S. Berry, D. Young. Second row: J. Everhart, D. Beebe, C. Thompson, C. Brown,





# Chorus Trip Bus Hijacked!

## Mrs. Jodell White Held Prisoner



E. Quick, J. Swallow. Third row: H. Brannon, R. Williams, D. Young, K. Lunde, D. Kimball, M. Mitchum, B. Peters. Picture middle left, bottom row: D. Kruse, P. Nichols, C. Chatterton, M. Kerber, A. Prideaux, L. Beggs, J. Westover, R. Nielson, A. Arthur, K. Gay, T. Clarkson, T. Budd, J. Petersen, D. Bacon, M. Marker, J. Meckley, S. Wilkinson. Third row: B. Brim, A. Fulmer, J. Battani, S. Commander, T. Lord, A. Sheldahl, J. Conway, D. Bebensee, B. Brown. Fourth row: J. Schoondyke, L. Way, R. Cramer. Picture top right: Mrs. White teaching choreography. Bottom: B. Etchen, J. Kennel, K. VanWell, and K. Pierce doing what "Bubbas" do best. Picture top left, opposite page: The cast of *Teen II* performing. Top right page: Todd Friestad and Deanna Carr take a break from learning choreography. Middle page, bottom row: S. Lesch, W. Madole, S. Grimes, A. Nelson, N. Wecker, C. Jeffries, M. Polder. Second row: S. Ober, C. Keown, L. Kirkman, K. Trees, K. Huggins, M. Grimes, T. Thompson, B. Baker, S. Betz. Fourth row: A. Smith, J. Hauser, J. Roskam, Y. McConnell, D. Welsh, M. Webb. Fifth row: N. Smith, S. Noble, A. Johnston, C. Logan, R. Olsen, K. Wiegand, V. Gray, C. Trometer, A. Shelton, C. Johnson, K. Sadoris, L. Hines, A. Anderson, T. Cooney. Sixth row: J. Strand, E. Suntken, J. Wilkinson, T. Grantham, J. Winders, K. Whitmore. Lower left: S. Betz and B. Baker learn lines for *Teen II*. Lower right, bottom row: J. Moller, M. Ahern, S. Lindstrom, L. Rittgers, J. Fowler, J. Holst. Second row: J. Friestad, L. Battani, L. Cockran, B. Piner, W. Hansen, S. Sorter, L. Papenheim, K. Stokstad. Third row: J. Kennel, T. Friestad, K. VanWell, D. Dubois, K. Pierce, B. Etchen, S. Brown.





# "Conga" Men Invade Swing Choir Show

Swing Choir is one of Johnston's famed groups. It consisted of the best singers and dancers in Johnston's High School. Last year's swing choir was no exception. It consisted of one freshman, Robert Nielson; two sophomores, Angie Allison and Scott Grimes; eight juniors, Barb Baker, Steve Betz, Jill Friestad, Crystal Keown, Donnie Lesch, Tom Lord, Jenny Roskam and Eric Suntken. The seniors of Swing Choir were: Robert Cramer, Melissa Harrison, Suzanne Lesch, Jenny Meckley, Susan Wilkinson, Jamie Winders and David Young.

Swing Choir performed at various contests as well as concerts and sang songs ranging from soft ballads like "Summertime" to pop songs like "Step Out in Front." One of the highlights of the group was their show. Last year the

Bottom row: Scott Grimes, Barb Baker, David Young, Donnie Letsch. Second row: Jenny Roskam, Lisa Battani, Jill Friestad, Robert Cramer, Susan Wilkinson, Jamie Winders, Crystal Keown, Eric Suntkin, Angela Allison, Suzanne Lesch, Steve Betz, Tom Lord. Not pictured—Jenny Meckley.



show was on May 10th. The theme was "Bop Till You Drop" and fifties songs were performed along with some novelty numbers like "Java Jive" and "My Heart Belongs to Daddy." The end of the show was especially emotional to some when the younger members realized it was time to say good-bye to the seniors. The Swing Choir had a good year and used their talent as well.





# Sound Advice Group Found! Lost for Three Weeks After Field Trip to Nursing Home

There were many activities for Sound Advice last year. One important activity was state contest. They received a II rating, which is "excellent", at the contest which took place in Sigourney.

They also performed at Johnston's concerts in October, February and April and at various nursing homes, for example, The Quality Health Care Center.

They performed songs, ranging from fifty's tunes like "Who Put The Bomp" to ballads like "Love Will Never Fade."

Sound Advice's attire last year was more showy than usual with bright blue vests and black skirts or pants. They used white shirts and black ties to contrast the look.

The young voices in Sound Advice worked well together and with the direction of Mrs. White the choreography was showy and precise.



Bottom row: Erin Quick, Janet Petersen, Melissa Kerber, Kelly Huggins, Debbie Welsh, Mindy Webb, Jennifer Wilkinson. Second row: Cindy Jeffries, Anne Arthur, Brad Piner, Ronnie Williams, Teresa Budd, Kara Saddoris. Third row: Christie Brown, Alicia Shelton, Amy Prideaux, Tracey Thompson, Allen Anderson, Miki Polder, Jill Swallow. Fourth row: Alex Fulmer, Keri Stokstad, Brad Bauman, Darren Young, Todd Grantham.





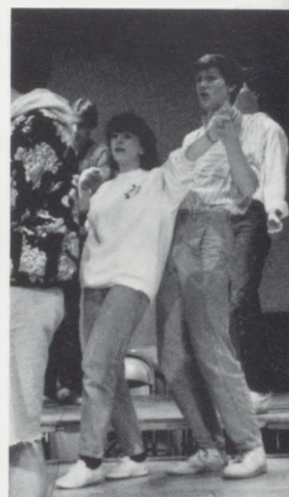
# Johnston Concert Choir Appears on Broadway



Last year's concert choir decided to make some goals for themselves. They desperately wanted a superior rating during state contests. With help from Mrs. Jody White they established these goals ranging from well-disciplined rehearsals to concentration on music.

Mrs. White felt that last year's soprano section was very mature-sounding and the altos had the strength to keep the songs well-balanced.

For their winter concert they performed a medley of songs from Broadway, the silver screen, and Vaudeville days. The program was called S.R.O. (Standing Room Only). This was a little different from regular concert choir productions because it included choreography. "The students



enjoyed performing their parents' favorite tunes as much as they parents enjoyed hearing them," said Mrs. White.

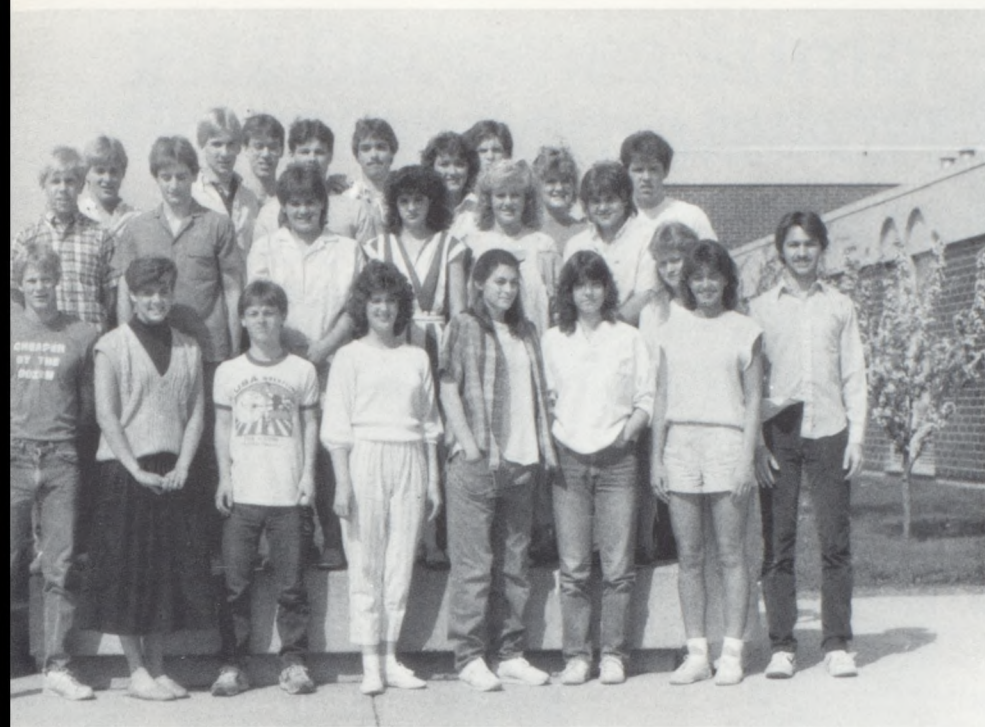
With the maturity in sound as well as mind, the goals set were a rewarding challenge.

Top left: David Young is trying to learn his lines. Top center: This is a more "angelic" look at concert choir. Middle: Don't you feel a "little" out of place, Lisa Battani? Center page: Bryan Etchen and Wendy Madole are enjoying a leisurely dance during rehearsal.

Bottom row: Lana Hines, Jenny Roskam, Brad Piner, Anne Arthur, Barb Peters, Suzanne Ober, Tracey Thompson, Crystal Keown, Robert Nielson,







The National Honor Society starts from one's freshman year to check grades. Only semester report cards are checked, but one must have a B+ average to be included. It was a prestigious honor to be in the N.H.S. last year for the seniors because class competition was high. Always keeping a close check on one's grades took an effort but the "cream came to the top" and the 1985-86 senior honor students were recognized.

## All Twenty-Six N.H.S. Students Fail Surprise Finals!

Angie Allison, Jeff Kennel, Kerl Stokstad, Lisa Battani, Erika Espe, Alicia Shelton, Debbie Welsh, Doug Beebe, Melissa Harrison, Janet Petersen. Second row: Cindy Jeffries, Eric Sunkin, Jill Friestad, Susan Wilkinson, Dawn Bebensee, Wendy Madole, Suzanne Lesch, Barb Baker, Erin Quick, Melissa Kerber, Kelly Huggins, Jinni Strand, Mindy Webb, Jamie Winders. Third row: Donnie Letsch, Bryan Etchen, Jeff Everhart, Tom Lord, Steve Brown, Kleth VanWiel, David Young, Robert Cramer, Steve Betz, Scott Grimes, Darren Young, Todd Grantham.

Top right: Lisa Battani, Greg Traen and Sheryl Larsen take a break from their studies. Middle, Bottom row: Jeff Riemenscheider, Cheryl Morris, David Gay, Suzanne Ober, Tony Gordon, Andrea Vanderlinden, Lisa Battani, Todd Friestad. Second row: Mark Shervhein, Brian Ranger, Leslie Timmerman, Tonya Krieg, Suzanne Lesch, Leslie Timmerman, Regina Kinsey. Third row: Jon Tack, Robert Cramer, David DeCook, Greg Traen, Todd Neumann, Sheryl Larsen, Mark Gilson, Lana Hines, David Hanson. Lower left: Last year's top two seniors-Lisa Battani and Robert Cramer.



Fellowship of Christian Athletes is a group of students that came together to tighten their bond with God with the help of others. They discussed athletics, school, people's accomplishments and studied the Bible.

Here is what F.C.A. is all about: "As I walked into my home last night, I noticed there was still time for a game of catch with my child before it was time for bed. While playing I tried to imagine what kind of athlete my child would be. I also tried to imagine what kind of fan I would be and how I would react to officials, coaches and players.

"After a goodnight hug and a kiss and, oh yes, two drinks of water (one for the teddy bear) I had some time to reflect on the game I had just coached.

"I guess I hate to lose more than anyone else I know. But if I do lose, I know I can accept the defeat with class. I somehow couldn't agree with the scoreboard although it said so many points for our opponents and one less for us. The scoreboard didn't register the sense of pride I felt as our athletes battled to the end against their archrivals. My eyes, I am sure, were shining as I recalled how your child had made no excuses and quickly said to me, "We'll get 'em next time, Coach."

"Did you realize how many young people played their hearts out and had a great time doing it? Last night was what athletics was meant to be! Two great teams from two fine communities with moms and dads who were there supporting those they love and care for.

"I hope you will share with me that the real victory comes from playing and hav-

# FCA Members Sacrifice Sponsor



ing fun, rather than in winning. Please make "playing ball" a fun thing to do. Sure we want to win, but when the final seconds tick off the clock, all that is left is the memory of how the game was played.

"As a coach, I am fortunate to have the opportunity to work with a great group of young people. I don't think you ever truly realize how much it means to your child that you come to the games. All I ask is that in doing so you be the type of fan who is a pro.

"Criticizing officials, coaches and players does nothing to help your child or our program. Please be the type of fan who makes us proud you are there. Be enthusiastic in a positive manner. Attend our games showing your pride and poise." From, "Illinois Interscholastic", December 1984.



Top: back row- S. Wilkinson, C. Johnson, P. Christofferson, Leslie Timmerman, Lisa Timmerman, K. Stokstad. Front row- S. Grimes, D. Plew, L. Batani, J. Friestad, and C. Jeffries. Bottom: Nikki Johnson tries to reach God.



# Pitz Becomes Sumo Wrestler Because of S.A.D.D. Donut Sales



The Students Against Driving Drunk group, called S.A.D.D., was formed by the students of Johnston with Mr. Pitz's help. The group consisted of a variety of students from grades 9-12. Their main focus last year was trying to get more people involved in S.A.D.D., and they did this in many ways. In the homecoming parade they presented a float. They had dances with a special type of contract to help parents and their children become better acquainted with the subject of drinking. They sold donuts one week during the year and as always, helped sponsor the after-prom party.

Picture top left: S.A.D.D. officers Mr. Dave Pitz, Dana Plew, Lisa Battani, Lisa Timmerman, Keri Stokstad.

Picture top right: Some S.A.D.D. members join in the homecoming parade on the float made for S.A.D.D.

Picture middle, bottom row: Barb Petersen, Penny Nichols, Sherry Gordon, Dana Plew, Lisa Battani, Christie Brown, Deb Weir, Joani Moller, Mr. Pitz, Matt Havilin, Brad Madison, Tonya Krieg, Tanya Thoren. Second row: Becky Gardner, Wendy Hansen, Keri Stokstad, Deanna Carr, Crystal Keown, Regina Kinsey, Steve Strickland, Sheryl Larsen, David Young. Third row: Tawnia Clarkson, Teresa Budd, Anne Patterson, Scott Grimes, Pam Christoferson, Craig Wildrick, Cindy Jeffries, Jill Friestad, Leslie Timmerman, Kristin Grimes, Lisa Timmerman.

Picture bottom: Lisa Battani and Regina Kinsey show that HyVee smile while Mike Adams gets some helpful selling tips.



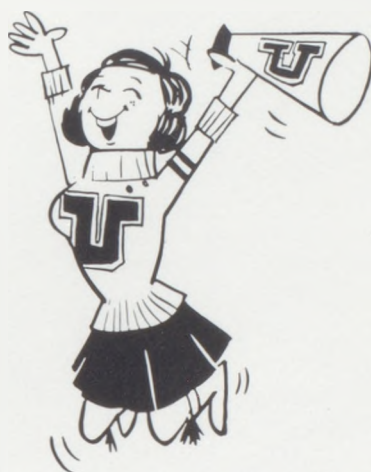


Page 86-Upper left: Varsity Football squad: bottom M. Webb; second row L. Bell, M. Mitchum, C. Morse, E. Espe; third row D. Snell, W. Madole; Top A. Shelton. Middle: J.V. Wrestling squad: bottom S. Harbart; Middle M. Marker, D. Bacon; top C. Brown. Lower left: Varsity Wrestling squad: bottom to top D. Heisler, C. Keown, D. Snell, K. McKenzie, S. Macintosh, K. Saddoris.

Page 87-Lower left: J.V. Football squad: bottom K. Gay; middle J. Moller, C. Thompson; top Erin Quick. Middle: Varsity Bsketball squad: bottom to top W. Madole, C. Morse, L. Hines, J. Friestad, M. Mitchum, B. Peters. Lower right: J.V. Basketball squad: bottom A. Prideaux, A. Arthur, W. Hansen, top T. Budd.



# Cheerleaders Hit by Low-Flying Plane



The cheerleaders kept the spirit up and the momentum going for the players to keep trying and put whatever they had left into the game. The football cheerleaders put a lot of effort into the dances they sponsored. They also sold flowers at homecoming to earn money to pay for their new uniforms. The basketball cheerleaders kept the spirits up on the pep buses (even when they were prone to breaking down).

All of the cheerleaders went to a cheerleading clinic at Iowa State last summer to sharpen their skills and learn new cheers and mounts. All of the cheerleading squads put a lot of effort into every move and word. They kept the pep up and the crowds cheering. Deanna Heisler, a wrestling cheerleader, said, "The cheerleaders have improved over the year and they are getting Johnston's school spirit up." Johnston wouldn't have been Johnston without the unique enthusiasm of the cheerleaders last year.



Upper left: Todd Vanderhart, Brent Rankin and Cathy Jeffries are at a student council meeting. Upper right: Front row-Todd Woodsmall, Matt Mertens, Cathy Jefferies, Chad Johnson. Back row-Mark Grief, Brent Rankin, Robert Cramer, Zac Dieter, Darren Young. Bottom: Robert Cramer, president, speaks at the 1985 Homecoming coronation.

kin, Robert Cramer, Zac Dieter, Darren Young. Bottom: Robert Cramer, president, speaks at the 1985 Homecoming coronation.



Robert Cramer, Student Council president, talked about the unity and creativity of the Student Council this year.

They were involved in many activities such as Homecoming, one of the biggest events. Robert said during that week, "Everything is going well, even with the bad weather setting things back."

They worked together with the cheerleaders, J.O.Y. and S.A.D.D.. Later on in the year they were involved in organizing the After-Prom Party, the Christmas Dance and graduation.

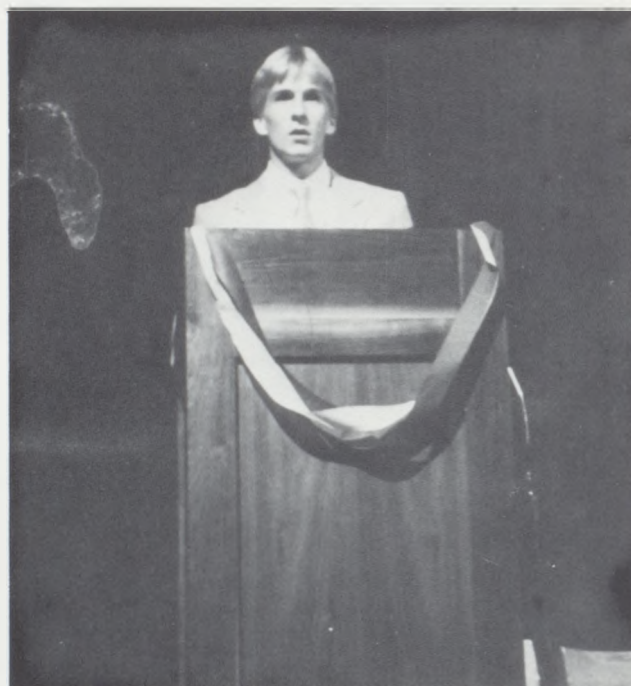
Student Council consisted of three representatives from each grade level.

Senior class officers were president Barry Jones, vice Matt Mertens, secretary-treasurer Todd Vanderhart.

Junior class officers were president Todd Woodsmall, vice Mark Grief, secretary-treasurer Paul Callaway.

Sophomore class officers were president Chad Johnson, vice Brent Rankin, secretary-treasurer Mark Casey.

Freshman class officers were president Zac Dieter, vice Cathy Jeffries, secretary-treasurer Darren Young.



## Principal catches President of Student Council Smoking in the Boys' Room



# Cheaper by the Dozen Longest Running JHS Play - 365 Performances

The play performed last fall was called *Cheaper by the Dozen*. It was about a family of twelve that lived in the twenty's and how these children dealt with their father's impeccable efficiency and old-fashionedness. The main characters were Mr. Gilbreth

played by Mike Lang, Mrs. Gilbreth played by Barb Petersen and Anne Gilbreth played by Cheryl Morris. Anne was the oldest child and helped her father understand what it was like to grow up living during that time. The Gilbreth children included Erika Espe as Martha, Melisa Maigaard as Lillian, Lana Hines as Earnestine, Janet Petersen as Jacki, Jeff Riemenscheider as Dan, Steve Betz as Frank, David Young as

Billy, and Paul Galloway as Fred. Other supporting roles were the maid, played by Stephanie Runneburg; Mrs. Brill, played by Keri Stokstad; Larry, by Todd Neumann; Joe, played by Barry Jones; and Dr. Burton, by Tim Hawkins.

The cast had a great time learning lines and getting acting experience, and Mrs. Tews, the director, enjoyed working with the students.

Top left: Did you forget your lines, Steve Betz? Middle: Are Cheryl Morris's hands cold, Barry Jones? Lower left: Calm down, "Mrs. Brill"! Lower right: While Erika Espe seems uninterested, Cheryl Morris has no problem telling David Young he's a nerd. Bottom left: Barb Petersen and Mike Lang talk over "family problems." Bottom right: The Gilbreth children: Melisa Maigaard, Erika Espe, Cheryl Morris, Lana Hines, Janet Petersen, Jeff Riemenscheider, Steve Betz, David Young and Paul Galloway.



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Homecoming week started out with the student body looking sharp on Dress-Up Day. On Tuesday, students arrived sporting sunglasses and brightly-colored clothes for Hawaiian Day. Daring seniors, Robert Cramer and David Young, showed up in the latest Hawaiian print dresses. Crazy Clothes Day was the theme for Wednesday, and everyone that participated obviously looked crazy.



Thursday came in with a bang as students, dressed in camouflage and armed with toy machine guns, stalked the halls for defenseless victims on Rambo Day. Some girls that didn't quite fit the Sly Stallone physique, changed the theme to "Pajambo" Day. Thursday night brought the long-awaited powder puff game. The game didn't lack excitement as Bunny and Gloria (Matt Mertens and Greg Traen) scored a touchdown for the seniors and juniors. Of course, the six points weren't added to the score, but their effort was much appreciated. The powder puff cheerleaders did an outstanding job and the seniors introduced the "swim" motion to the varsity squad. The game ended with the seniors and juniors defeating the sophomores and freshmen 8 to 6.



Friday was definitely the highlight of the week. Everyone showed up wearing the traditional purple and gold and anxiously awaited coronation and the parade.

Finally, Saturday night arrived and it was time for the dance to begin. A D.J. played all the latest hits and everyone danced the night away.







## Homecoming Dance Filmed — to be Aired on "American Bandstand"

Page 92: UPPER LEFT-These four senior girls are looking sexy at the dance. UPPER RIGHT-J. Reimenschnieder and T. Neumann are lookin' good in their skirts! MIDDLE LEFT-The 1985 senior-junior powder puff team. MIDDLE RIGHT-T. Woodsmall is showin' his stuff. MIDDLE-B. Ranger and T. Hawkins have their own body guard-J. Tack. BOTTOM-Mark Mertens is "flipping out".



Page 93: TOP-These students show their school spirit by participating on Crazy Clothes Day. MIDDLE-Seniors D. Plew and S. Wilkinson are ready to dominate in the powder puff game. UPPER RIGHT-Sophomores K. Huggins and N. Johnson are wearing their best dress-up clothes. LOWER LEFT- J. Tack and L. Timmerman look like they just came from the set of Rambo. MIDDLE RIGHT-D. Pelletiere, M. Mertens and T. Hawkins are being caught after the powder puff game. LOWER RIGHT-A. Arthur, A. Patterson, J. Meyer, and D. Bacon are showing that freshmen have fun too.



# King Joel and Qu



Page 94: UPPER LEFT-The 1985 Homecoming attendants. UPPER RIGHT- Queen Susan Wilkinson is sitting pretty. MIDDLE LEFT- Kim Carr and Larry Battani are the Jr. Attendants. MIDDLE RIGHT- The soph. attendants are Alicia Shelton and Chad Johnson. LOWER RIGHT- Frosh attendants Shannon Muehlenthaler and Darren Young smile for the camera.

Page 95: UPPER RIGHT- Our King Joel Johnson and Queen Susan Wilkinson make quite the stately pair. MIDDLE RIGHT- King and Queen candidates Dennis Slavin and Tracey Lundy. LOWER LEFT- King and Queen candidates Todd Neumann and Stacy Neary. LOWER RIGHT- The 1985 Homecoming Court.





# een Susan to meet Prince Charles and Lady Di!!



Coronation began on Friday at 1:00 P.M. Robert Cramer, President of the student council, commenced the activities by introducing Mike Lang, who gave encouraging remarks. Mike also presented a football signed by all the players to the queen.

Debbie Grimes represented the volleyball team. She also gave a volleyball signed by all the players for the queen.

Then the attendants were announced. The freshman attendants were Shannon

Muehlenthaler and Darren Young. The sophomore attendants were Alicia Shelton and Chad Johnson. The junior attendants were Kim Carr and Larry Battani. The queen and king candidates were then announced: Tracey Lundy and Dennis Slavin, Susan Wilkinson and Todd Neumann, and Stacy Neary and Joel Johnson. Finally, after much excitement, the King and Queen were crowned. The 1985 King and Queen were Joel Johnson and Susan Wilkinson.







The score at the end of the Homecoming game on October 11, 1985 between Johnston and Carlisle was 0 to 8, Carlisle's favor.

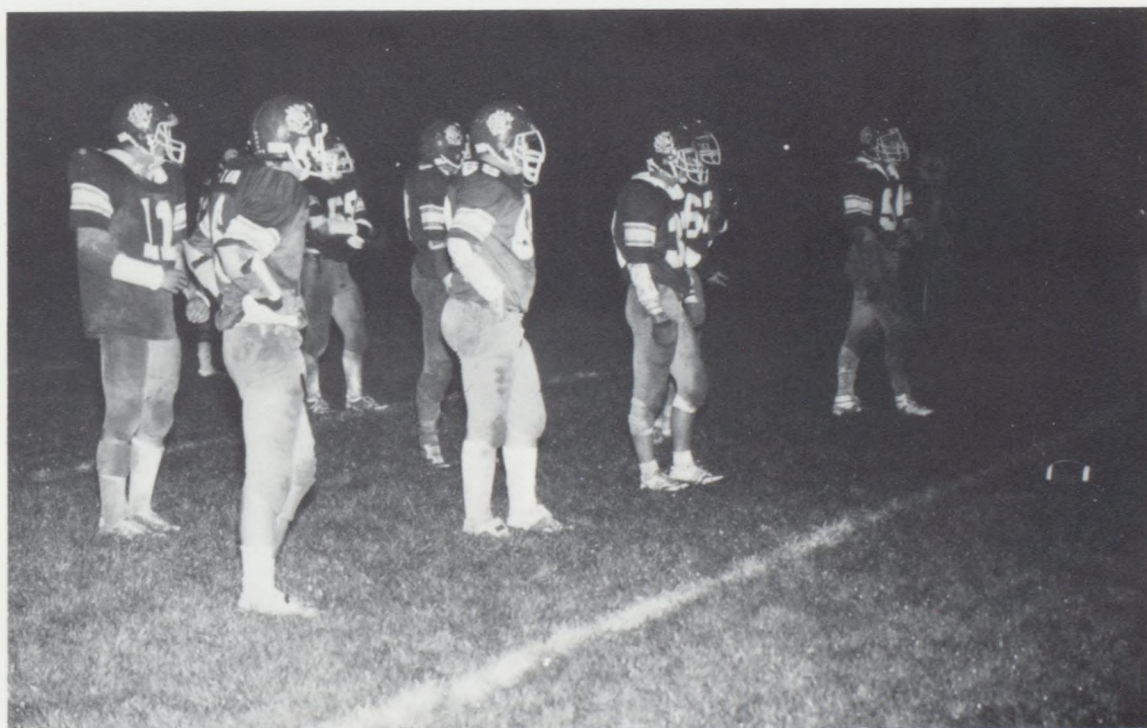
The weather that night was cold and rainy. At halftime right before the football players came back out to finish the game, a whole bunch of people from Johnston High School made a huge huddle to cheer the players on. Everybody screamed as loud as they could.

The bad weather didn't stop the football players from doing their best. Even though we lost, we all know that the football players tried very hard and didn't let anybody down at all. Everyone had a lot of fun!!!!





# Giant Dragon Disrupts Johnston Homecoming Game







# Queen of England Pays Visit to Johnston Madrigal Dinner

The Johnston Madrigal Dinner was performed both nights at Miller Armory in Camp Dodge. Things went very smoothly and extra promotional plans were even put into effect with posters and on the lighted sign at Home Plan Bank.

The Lord of the Manor was Robert Cramer and his Lady was Suzanne Ober. They had a lot of fun acting as royalty, even though learning lines was tough. The jester was David Young again last year. He was as humorous as ever and had more bells on his costume than anyone could count!



As always, many various small groups performed and a delicious meal was prepared by Asa Hutton and served by the underclassmen and juniors not involved in Swing Choir.

Both servers and Royal Court helped in the skit which was a spin-off of Rapunzel, Rapunzel, called "Let Down Thy Heir."

With the good food, music and companionship, the Madrigal Dinner received rave reviews again last year.







Top Left: Jenny Meckley, Susan Wilkenson, Jamie Winders and Barb Petersen are happy about their last Madrigal Dinner. Top Right: One of the small groups that performed at the dinner, consisted of Cindy Jefferies, Wendy Madole, Keri Stokstad, Scott Grimes, Tom Lord, Jeff Kennel, and Bryan Etchen. Middle Right: David Young is one of Johnston's best jesters. Middle: The royal court sang beautifully. Bottom: What are you dreaming about, Steve Brown? Opposite page top: Lord Robert Cramer and Suzanne Ober discuss "family matters." Middle The brass section is always a great help. Far right: Many of the servers sang solos, including Doug Beebe. Bottom left: Crystal Keown and Barb Baker show off their costumes. Bottom Right: The Madrigal Dinner is always a fun part of concert choir.







The Johnston 1986 Prom was on April nineteenth. The theme was "Reflections of Heaven" which fit perfectly with the blue and silver colors. The locations was the Urbandale Country Club, perfectly selected by the Prom Committee: Jacki Hauser, Jill Friestad, Leslie Kirkman, Kim Carr, Crystal Keown, Julie Hansen, Keri Stokstad, Tracey Thompson, Barb Peters, Cindy Jeffries, Alicia Patterson and Mrs. Molly Lauen. The mood was set romantically and everyone looked very sophisticated, like Pat Cramer, who wore garb complete with top hat, tails and a cane. Others, such as Vic Daniels went a little less formally, dressed in a jacket, T-shirt and slacks. There was a humorous slide show of the seniors, baby pictures.



The disc jockey kept the music playing all night until midnight, when everyone set off for the After-Prom Party at the high school.

The After Prom Party began at 11:00 P.M. and went on until 4:30 A.M. It was Las Vegas Casino Night. Many teachers as well as parents helped out with the affair. When you arrived, your name was immediately entered into a box for a door prize.

The door prizes included; an AM/FM cassette stereo won by Crystal Keown, a typewriter won David Young, a small refrigerator won by Amy Beasley, a VCR won by Todd Woodsmall, a compact disc player was taken home by





# School Charged with Rigging at Las Vegas Casino Night

Top left: Louie Way and Jill Jessen show everyone how it's done! Upper right: Todd Friestad and Tonya Krieg share a tender moment. Middle left: The chaperones take time out to socialize a little. Middle right: Why aren't you two dancing, Todd Neumann and Dawn Bebensee? Lower left: Don't some of you ladies wish you went stag, too? Lower right: Everyone is dancing the night away. Bottom: Leslie Kirkman, who is that handsome guy you are with?



Todd Friestad, and Fay Fladung won a microwave oven.

Mrs. Carolyn Morse was in charge of the After-Prom Party.







Laura Phelps & Kerry Pierce  
Cheryl Morris & Barry Jones



Keri Stokstad & Jeff Kennel  
Diana Snell & Tim Hawkins



Ann Hakanson & Blake Putney  
Leanne Bell & Guest



Suzanne Lesch & Shawn Blair  
Sheryl Larsen & Guest



Kelly Conway & Eric Suntken  
Kelli McKenzie & Jim Smith



Dana Plew & Matt Mertens  
Stacy Neary & Louie Way



Susan Wilkinson & Robert Cramer  
Cathy Cavanah & Brian Etchen



Cathy Cavanah & Suzanne Ober  
Pam Christopherson & Mark Mertens







Michelle Mitchum & Coby Shank  
Crystal Keown & Jeff Riemschneider



Barb Petersen & Larry Evans  
Stephanie Runneberg & Guest



Connie Conley & Greg Traen  
Jenny Meckley & Dennis Slavin



Fay Fladung & David Hauser  
Missy Bass & Guest



Stephanie Speer & Guest  
Dave Sharon & Guest



Heidi Steddom & Jeff McMullen  
Bart Ratterree & Guest



Jon Tack & Guest  
Kris Thompson & Guest



Lisa Battani & Mike Belknap  
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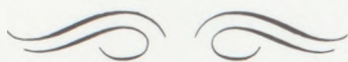




## COMMENCEMENT

Johnston High School Gymnasium

May 18, 1986 — 3:00 p.m.



### SPECIAL SCHOLASTIC RECOGNITION TOP TEN PERCENT OF JOHNSTON HIGH SCHOOL'S GRADUATING CLASS

Lisa Renee Battani  
Robert J. Cramer  
Mark A. Gilson  
Toni Valentine Gordon  
Regina Ann Kinsey

Sheryl Denise Larsen  
Cheryl Lynne Morris  
Todd Michael Neumann  
Barbara Sue Petersen  
Mark David Shervheim

Jon Christopher Tack

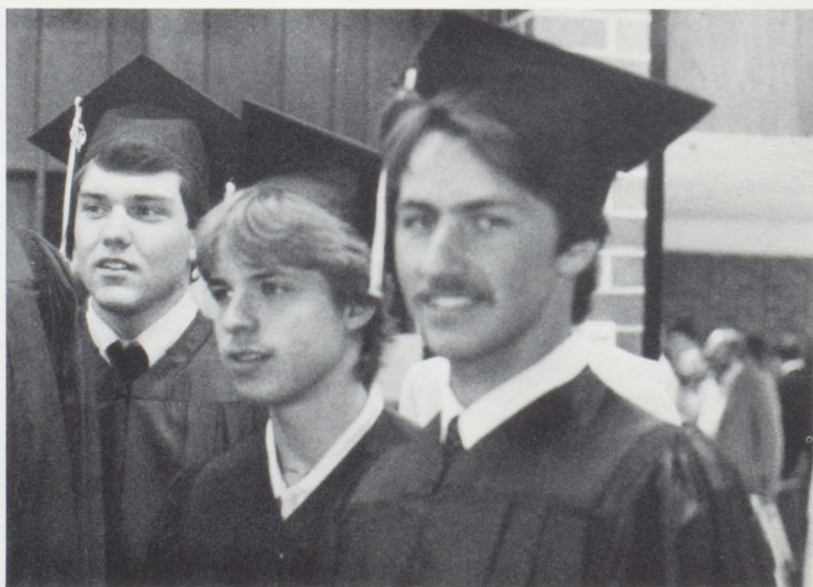


President ..... Barry Matthew Jones  
Vice President ..... Matthew H. Mertens  
Secretary-Treasurer ..... Todd Edmond Vanderhart



Class Flower ..... Red Rose  
Class Colors ..... Blue and Champagne  
Class Motto *"Let us not look back in regret or forward in fear,  
but around in awareness."* ..... Anonymous

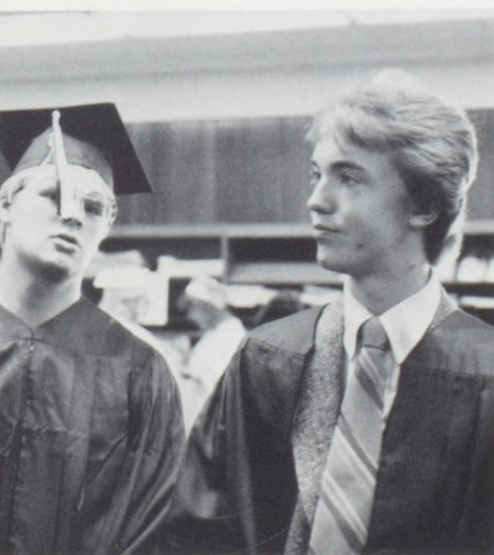
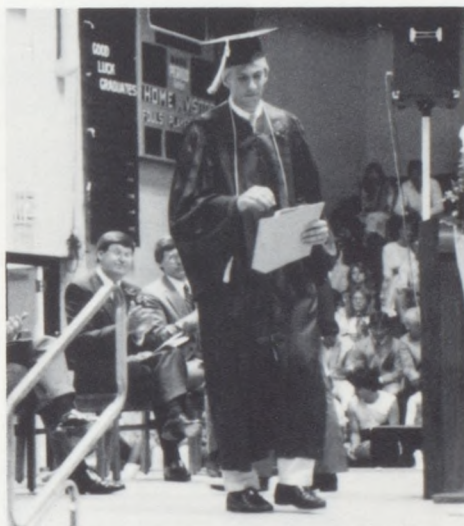
Lower left: What are you "cheesing"  
about, Pat Cramer? Lower right: Keith  
VanWeil, Jeff Kennel and Todd Fries-  
tad are ready to graduate.





# J.H.S. Graduation Breaks Guinness Record—2½ Days Long

Upper left: The guest speakers stand to receive the graduates. Upper right: Did your head grow, Mike O'Leary? Middle left: Lisa Battani and Robert Cramer address the graduating class. Middle right: Robert Cramer receives an award. Lower left: Steve Brown and Kerry Pierce want to get out of there. Lower right: Junior Escorts, Wendy Madole and Greg Young.







Processional: "*Pomp and Circumstance*" ..... Elgar  
 (Audience please stand) Pianist: Anne Arthur and Robert Nielsen  
  
 Invocation ..... Reverend John M. Palmer  
 First Assembly of God, Des Moines, IA  
  
 Senior High Chorus: "*Hold on to a Star*" ..... Jensen  
  
 Student Representatives for 1986 Graduating Class:  
 Lisa Battani and Robert Cramer  
  
 Address ..... Dr. James A. Albrect  
 Professor of Law, Drake University  
  
 Presentation of Awards  
 (1) Johnston Parent Teacher Organization  
 Scholarship ..... Mrs. Jayette L. Goode  
 P.T.O. President  
  
 (2) Citizenship Award ..... Mr. Doyle D. Sanders  
 Presented by the Iowa Bar Association Attorney at Law &  
 Member of the Board of Education  
  
 (3) National Honor Society  
 and Academic Awards ..... Mr. Donald D. Lang  
 Counselor, Johnston High School  
  
 Presentation of Class ..... Mr. Louis Friestad, Jr.  
 Superintendent of Schools  
  
 Presentation of Diplomas ..... Mr. Dale Belknap  
 President, Board of Education  
  
 Concert Choir: "*Innsbruck, I Now Must Leave Thee*" ..... Isaac  
  
 Benediction ..... David Edmund Young  
 (Audience please stand) Senior Student  
  
 Recessional: Senior High Chorus  
 "*You'll Never Walk Alone*" ..... Rodgers and Hammerstein









# Tragedy in the Sky

On January 28, 1986, just 73 seconds after its perfect launch from Cape Canaveral, Florida's Kennedy Space Center, the space shuttle Challenger exploded into a ball of fire, killing all seven crew members aboard.

The Challenger carried seven crewmembers on its ill-fated mission, including Concord, New Hampshire high school teacher Christa McAuliffe, who was to become our nation's first civilian astronaut. Her crewmates were: Space craft Commander Dick Scobee, a veteran of one other shuttle mission; rookie Mission Pilot Mike Smith; Mission Specialists Ellison S. Onizuka, a veteran of the first totally secret mission of the shuttle; Judy Resnik, who flew on the Discovery mission to retrieve two broken satellites; Ronald McNair and Gregory Jarvis, who were both making return trips into space.

The explosion occurred at just past 1 minute into the flight, when the Challenger was under the greatest aerodynamic pressure. The three main engines were "throttled down" to 65% of their rated capability to prevent the shuttle from shaking itself apart. The capsule communicator at Houston Control called up to Challenger, "Challenger, go at throttle-up," which meant that all was clear to throttle the main engines

back up to 104% of rated thrust, or full throttle.

Pilot Michael Smith issued the last transmission from STS-51L, "Roger. Go at throttle-up."

Within the next three seconds, the Challenger was engulfed in an enormous ball of fire, spreading from the base of the shuttle's external tank, engulfing the spacecraft. On the ground, NASA Public Affairs Officer Stephen Nesbitt reported the latest data from Challenger, unaware that the spacecraft did not exist any longer.

"1 minute, 15 seconds. Velocity 2,900 feet per second (1,977 mph). Altitude nine nautical miles, downrange distance seven nautical miles." Then came a 40-second pause, after which Nesbitt made a statement that NBC News anchor Tom Brokaw called "the understatement of the year." Nesbitt said, "We obviously have a major malfunction." To millions watching around the nation, the statement was too late. They had seen the evidence. Challenger would not be coming home.

The solid rocket boosters attached to Challenger were blown away by the force of the blast, and Air Force range safety officers destroyed them by radio when it became apparent they were headed

for populated areas. Debris from the shuttle fell from the skies for the next hour. Rescue teams were dropped, in the hope that somehow, the crew would survive. Their search was in vain. However, the Coast Guard had recovered many pieces of Challenger, including: parts of the wings, fuselage, and tail sections, a helmet believed to belong to one of the astronauts, pieces of a booster rocket for the Tracking and Data Relay System Satellite (TDRSS-B), that Challenger was to have deployed, parts of the solid rockets, and the top of the orange external tank.

A presidential commission investigating the tragedy that had been pushing, prodding, and questioning for the month after the accident began to uncover the answer to one big question—Why?

The commission, headed by former Secretary of State William Rogers, had found a very serious problem with NASA's chain-of-command. The implication of these findings were very serious. The astronauts didn't have to die. STS-51L should never have launched.

The solid rockets are divided into sections, like partitions. Each of the segments is sealed with a pair of rubber "O-rings," putty-like sealants. They run the whole distance around the SRB, and keep the hot engine





exhaust from escaping.

In January 1985, the SRB's on the shuttle Discovery were eroded almost clear through because of failures in the seals due to 53 degree temperatures, the coldest launch ever. The mercury on January 28 read 29 degrees. NASA rocket-safety expert Hank Shuey said, "If those rings leak for one second, the rocket burns."

If the O-rings do not seal properly, the 6,000 degree heat from the SRB engine burns through the rocket's skin, and the external tank. According to NASA data, the lower struts connection between the right SRB and the external tank was burned away, allowing the exhaust to penetrate the external tank and ignite the catastrophe.

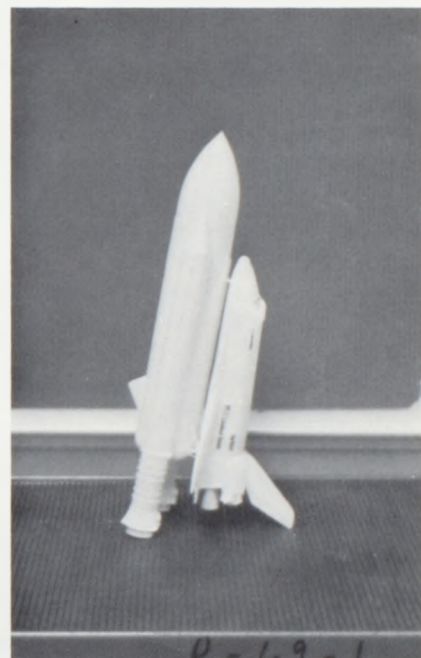
To illustrate this theory, commission member Richard Feynman, a Nobel-Prize winning physicist, took a sample O-ring and placed it into the cup of ice water at his desk. The water's temperature was 32 degrees Fahrenheit. After the immersion, the sample ring lost much of its elasticity. The temperature of 29 and below would cause the rings to lose even more resiliency.

The top brass at NASA was in for a big shakeout as a result of the accident. NASA Administrator James Beggs, who was under indictment on charges of fraud against General

Dynamics, resigned in early March. In line to replace him were Frank Borman, former Apollo astronaut, Air Force undersecretary Edward Aldridge, and Strategic Defense Initiative director General James Abrahamson. Shuttle boss Jesse Moore left office ahead of schedule to take his new post as head of the Johnson Space Center. Rear Admiral Richard Truly, a former Shuttle commander and astronaut, took Moore's place, and headed the probe into the accident.

The first warning against launch of STS-51L came from budget analyst Richard Cook, in a memo he wrote in July of 1985, stating the "failure of the O-ring could prove catastrophic." Other warning signals were raised from SRB builder Morton Thiokol, which were overruled by Thiokol executives, and shuttle builder Rockwell International.

Politics seemed to have pushed NASA to overlook some of its safety standards to meet the accelerated launch schedule. Until the shuttle disaster, launches were scheduled at a rate of one every month. Two of the summer flights were cancelled due to the disaster, and the rest of 1986's flights were in doubt, as NASA struggled to get off the defensive and repair its wounded image.



New information suggested that Challenger was doomed from liftoff. New NASA photographs showed an ominous puff of black smoke near the point where the leak was believed to have originated. Until the results of the commission are announced, sometime later this year, no more shuttles will fly. If the shuttle needs a substantial redesign, there may be a hiatus of more than two years before another shuttle departs Cape Kennedy, Florida. The most shocking revelation is this: the astronauts have died. Human error and pressure forced NASA to do something it did not like and it paid the ultimate price.

—written by Robert Nielsen



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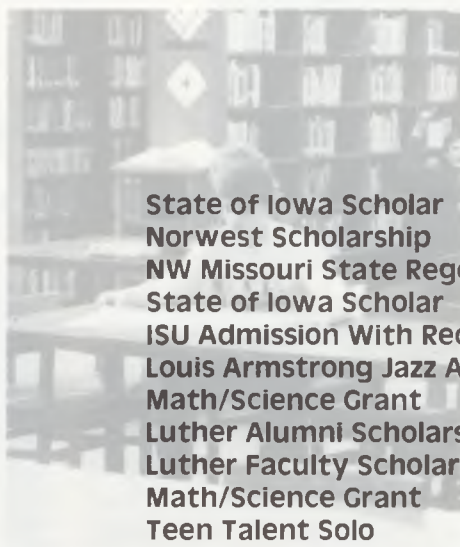


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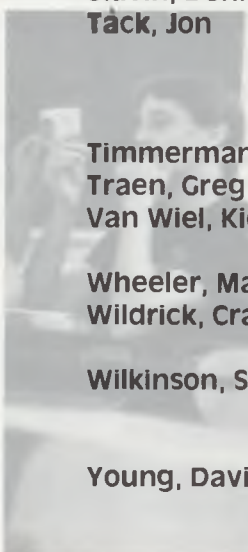
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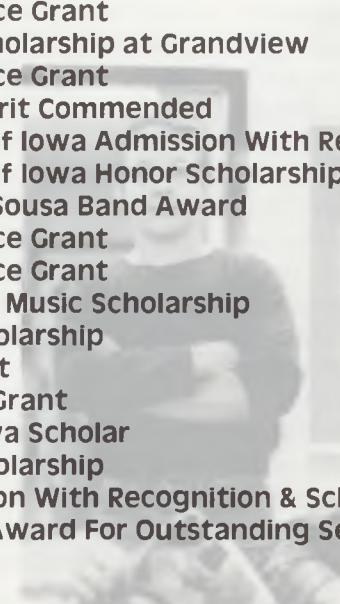
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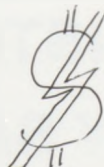
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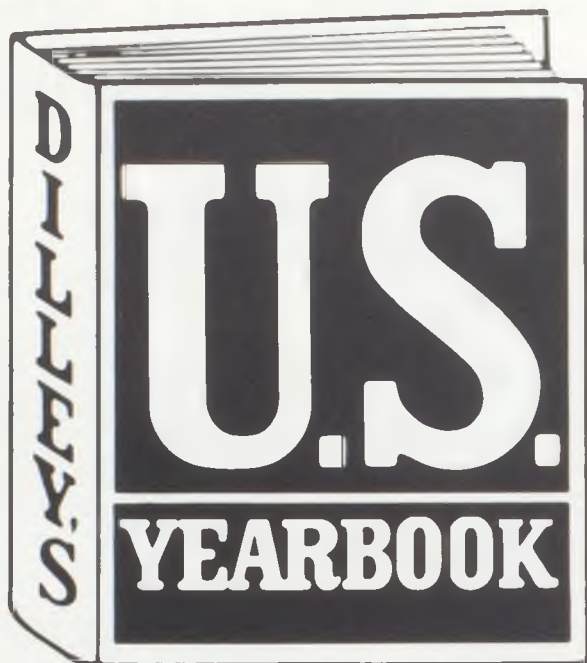
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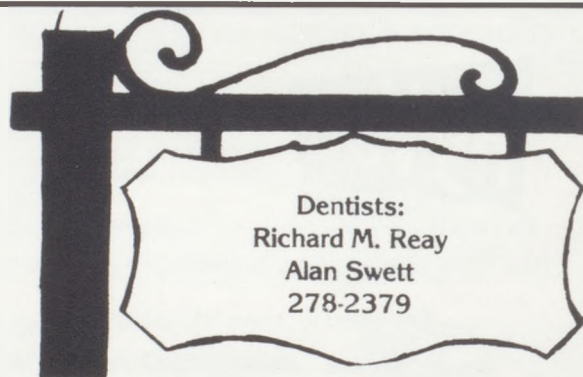
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# Dragons Close to Victory . . . Turkey Valley Mascot Invited to Christmas Dinner

The 1985 baseball season was very successful for the Dragons. They finished the season with a record of twenty-four and eleven. The Dragons finished second in their conference league, and then qualified for the Final Four in the State Tournament. Several individual awards were received by team members. Those chosen for First Team All Conference were: Joel Johnson, Curt Neumann and Todd Neumann.

Dennis Slaven was chosen for Second All Team Conference. Curt Neumann and Joel Johnson were also chosen for First All Team District; Todd Cory, Dave Hauser, and Todd Neumann made Second All Team District. Curt Neumann was also on the Fourth Team All State and participated in the High School All Star Games.

Fourteen of the 1985 team's twenty players will return for next year's baseball season.







Junior Varsity Baseball players: Top Row: Mark Coady, Jared Hill, Dave Sharon, Curt Phelps, Matt Mertens, Dennis Slavin, Todd Cory, and Kerry Pierce. Bottom Row: Jeff Riemenschneider, Mike Lang, John Blanchard, Coby Shank, Steve DeCook and Jim Smith.

Varsity Baseball players: Top Row: David Ahern, Dennis Slavin, Scott Stanley, Joel Johnson, Matt Metens, Steve Welsh, David Hauser, David Grimes, Brian Kreps, Todd Cory, Jeff Riemenschneider, Dave Sharon. Bottom Row: Todd Neumann, John Blanchard, Curt Neumann, Coby Shank, Mike Lang, John Haller, and Steve DeCook.

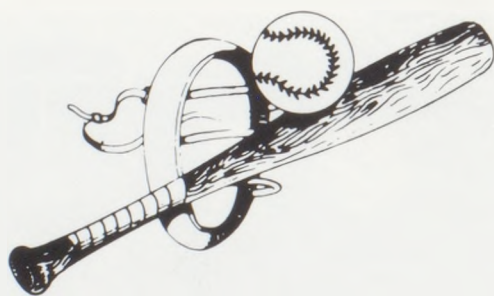






Page 118- 1985 Varsity Softball team, TOP ROW: 2nd baseman, Dana Plew; right fielder, Pam Christofferson; shortstop, Gina Kinsey; left fielder, Pam Prediger; DH, Leslie Timmerman; Coach Cheryl Crawford, BOTTOM ROW: 3rd baseman, Debbie Grimes; 1st baseman, Stef Blubaugh; pitcher, Lisa Fulmer; catcher, Jenice Timmerman; center fielder, Lisa Timmerman.

Page 119- JV Softball, TOP ROW: Deb Welsh, Nikki Johnson, Rayne Knutson, Leslie Kirkman, Jennifer Winders, Jackie Hauser, Coach Cindy Johnson. BOTTOM ROW: Joy Robbins, Karen Trees, Jana Madison, Misy Grimes, Cindy Jefferies, Jill Swallow.





# J.H.S. Girls' Softball Team to Play Champion Chinese Women's Team

The 1985 Girls' Softball Team didn't have a great record but in the words of Coach Cheryl Crawford, "This was the most mature group I've ever worked with as far as responsibility, practicing, and participating in games."

The biggest thrill for the softball team was placing 2nd in its opening tournament at Bondurant. They beat Dallas-Center, Grimes, and Bondurant, only to lose to North Polk in the finals.

The team lost 7 one-run ballgames and had a chance to win every ballgame played. It was heart-breaking at times,

but the team kept plugging away.

The team lost only 3 seniors, Jenice Timmerman, catcher; Lisa Fulmer, pitcher; and Stef Blubaugh, first baseman.

Jenice Timmerman was chosen to second team all conference. Lisa Fulmer, Gina Kinsey, Dana Plew, and Lisa Timmerman all received honorable mention.

There were twelve returning varsity letter winners coming back for next summer, and, as always, the team will work hard at improving its softball skills.







Above: The 1985 Football team: Bottom row: Jeff Schoondyke, Brad Voorhees, Dave Paez, Doug Beebe, Cale Sponsler, Mark Casey, Scott Commander, Mike Adams, and Robert Leach. Second row: Mark Mingles, Dave DeCook, Tim Schlenker, Larry Young, Mike Hall, Brian Quick, Jon Tack, and Jeff Shipley. Third row: Matt Mertens, Greg Traen, Mike O'Leary; assistant coach, John Carver; Coach Geroge Sypniewski; assistant coach, Ralph Young; Bill Cross, Dave Hauser, and Jason Conway. Fourth row: Joel Johnson, Tim Hawkins, Barry Jones, Greg Young, Jason VanAusall, Jared Hill, Mark Tague, and Todd Casey. Fifth row: Noah Gaudineer, Mike Lang, Chad Johnson, Brent Rankin, Jason Kreps, and Alan Hartman. Top row: Trey Strong, Curt Phelps, Todd Neumann, and Coby Shank.

Opposite page top: Our football players join in the pep rally... Middle: ...Then they go bananas! Bottom: Greg Traen looks for a receiver.



# Johnston Football Video Stolen, Found in Cheerleader's Locker



The Johnston football season was pretty good. The dragons had a final standing of three and five. The spirit was high for the forty-one dynamic players.

The graduating seniors were Todd Casey, Bill Goss, David Hauser, Tim Hawkins, Joel Johnson, Barry Jones, Mike Land, Todd Nuemann, Matt Mertens, Mike O' Leary, Jon Tack, and Greg Traen. The coaches were Mr. George Sypniewski, Mr. John Carver, and Mr. Ralph Young. Co-captains consisted of David Hauser, Joel Johnson and Mike Lang.

Standing scores were: Dallas Center 0, Dragons 28; Roland Story 14, Dragons 34; North Polk 35, Dragons 21; West Marshall 30, Dragons 0; Nevada 7, Dragons 0; Carlisle 8, Dragons 0; Ballard 20, Dragons 14; South Hamilton 20, Dragons 49. Congratulations on a job well done.







Cross country is an enduring sport that takes mental and physical preparation. People joined cross country for the love of running, not for the recognition by spectators. The courses they run are two miles over terrain of hills, paths, and obstacles of all kinds.

This year the team consisted of nine people. The team only included two seniors, which means much of last year's team will be returning for a most prosperous season next year. The seniors were Robert Cramer and Steve Strickland. The rest of the team consisted of one sophomore, Scott Grimes, and five freshmen: Jason Kerber, Greg Ojendyk, Scott Reany, Mark VanderLinden, and Darren Young. They were lead by an outstanding runner, Greg Ojendyk, on the grueling course. For being as young as the team was, they did very well. Everyone is looking forward to the years to come, especially Mr. Strickler.



## Cross Country Team Abducted by Bigfoot



The Johnston-Urbandale Swim team had a 9-1 record for the season. The team was small last year; despite that, they had an outstanding season. Johnston girls have been swimming with Urbandale for three years.

There were three swimmers from Johnston; Julie Hanson, Lisa and Leslie Timmerman. Lisa and Leslie will not be returning this year to swim, as they are seniors. Julie will return this year as a senior.

Specific events each of them do well: Leslie Timmerman-100 yard butterfly and distance freestyle. Lisa Timmerman-100 breaststroke, 100 backstroke, 200 medley relay and 400 freestyle. Julie Hanson-200 freestyle, 200 I.M., 50 backstroke, 100 breaststroke, 200 medley relay and 400 free relay.

Leslie and Lisa were named captains of the team. Julie



broke records in 200 I.M., 100 freestyle, and 400 free relay. She went to state, placing 3rd in the 200 yard individual medley and 3rd in the 500 freestyle. The team placed 18th overall at State and were Conference champs!

Upper right: Julie Hanson, Lisa Timmerman, Leslie Timmerman and the Urbandale-Johnston Swim Team. Middle left: Leslie Timmerman gets ready for her race. Middle right: A last "good-bye" to the seniors of the swim team. Lower left: Leslie Timmerman rests after a tough race.

## Johnston Swimmer Attacked by Shark at Swim Meet



The 1985-86 Volleyball team was a young and learning team. The team was made up of Johnston and Urbandale. The team had twelve varsity players and ten on JV—freshmen. There were only three seniors and one junior. The varsity starting six was half Urbandale (Karl Kramer, Jennifer Rattiffe, and Ty Greenleaf) and half Johnston (Susan Wilkinson, Nikki Johnson and Tory Bothwell).

They beat all the conference teams they played. Tory Bothwell and Susan Wilkinson made the All-Tournament Team at the Johnston Tournament, which consisted of eight girls chosen from eighty girls at the tournament.

Over the season they improved a lot, worked hard and had fun. They had a good season with such a young team.







## Volleyball Team Beamed up by UFO

Lower left: Serve a good one, Tory Bothwell; Upper middle: Tory Bothwell and Susan Wilkinson show their standing abilities; Middle: The team huddles for a conference; Lower middle: Susan Wilkinson leaps for the ball; Upper right: Back row—Jenny Hayes, Gay Jones; Middle row—Steph Runneberg, Susan Wilkinson, Karol Kramer, Sara Stafford, Morry Hanson (Coach) and Jennifer Rattiffe; Front row—Ty Greenleaf, Tory Bothwell and Nikki Johnson; Lower right: You guys are turned the wrong way!



# Steroid Scare: Varsity Basketball Players Cut from Team



Upper left-Front row: Greg Traen, Eric Wilson, Steve Strickland, David Sharon, Paul Wallin, and Steve Morse. Back row: Brian Etchen, Coby Shank, Curt Phelps, Kerry Pierce, Coach Frank Sanders, Robert Cramer, Todd Neumann, Vic Daniels, and Shawn Blair. Lower left: Johnston's boys' basketball team of 1981. Lower right: Hey! you're not all supposed to be on the court.







The 1985-86 boys' basketball team record was 18-2 last year, the best Johnston had seen since 1972.

They worked well together and worked hard to get to Districts. The chances of going to State were high, and they were expected to be playing in the State Tournaments.



The team made it to Districts, only losing one game in the season. They played Wauke, their first game in Districts. The game was very suspense-filled; no one knew what would happen next. There was a lot of team spirit and support from the Johnston crowd. The game was an experience the boys' team won't forget. It was a total let-down when they lost 67-65 in the last second of the game. Everyone saw the team's dream shattered.

This year's team will have to work hard and practice a lot to regain the status of last year's team.

David Sharon said, "Good luck, Coby." The seniors leaving would like to say good luck to the remaining players.



Upper left: Steve Strickland, you're running the wrong way. Middle left: the Johnston crowd. Middle right: Your shoe's untied, Todd Neumann. Lower right: Kerry Pierce and Brian Etchen are destroying school property.







The girls' basketball team had a new staff last year.

The varsity coach was Mr. Bill Miller. He had many challenges to face with the team. Mr. Miller said that the team adjusted well to him and that they were very talented.

The junior varsity coach was Carrie Charley. She was also the assistant varsity coach. She had the responsibility of teaching new plays to the J.V. team and preparing them for varsity. "The J.V. team had a very productive season and showed some hustle," she stated.

Cindy Johnson coached the freshman team. She had to teach the drills and techniques that would improve the freshmen and help them become a better team. Although the freshmen had a disappointing season, they had great potential and improved immensely.





# Globe Trotters Pick Three Johnston Girls For Team!

Top row: Coach Bill Miller, Nikki Johnson, Chrissy Trometer, Jana Madison, Regina Kinsey, Jill Jessen, Coach Carrie Charley. Bottom row: Dana Plew, Dawn Bebensee, Leslie Timmerman, Lisa Timmerman, Kelly Huggins, Tory Bothwell.

Middle: Alicia Patterson is trying to ask for help from a higher authority. Lower right: Team spirit is essential for Jill Jessen. Lower middle: Did you forget your shorts again, Nikki Johnson and Kelly Huggins? Middle: Leslie Timmerman is trying to get some advice from Coach Miller.



The J.V. team, top row: Leslie Kirkman, Karen Thomas, Carrie Charley, Bill Miller, Chrissy Trometer, Melissa Kerber. Second row: Keri Stokstad, Misy Grimes, Debbie Welsh, Annette Nelson, Mindy Webb. Third row: Alicia Shelton, Jenny Geringer, Cindy Jeffries, Karen Trees, Kelly Huggins, Nikki Johnson.

The freshman team, top row: Jami Reese, Jenni Myers, Stephanie Berry, Coach Cindy Johnson, Sharon Lindstrom, Ryann Alexander. Second row: Kim Lundy, Jodi VanHorn, Heather Brannon, Kari Bobst, Tina Snyder, Rachelle Thran. Bottom row: Cathy Jeffries, Tawnia Clarkson, Kari Gay, Molly Ahern, Erin Quick, Jill Swallow, Jennifer Doak.





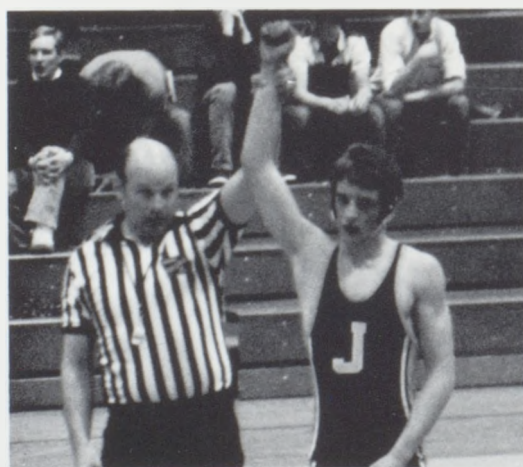
# Johnston Wrestling Team is Broadcasted on All-Star Wrestling

The 1985-86 wrestling team had a very productive season last year. The team worked hard together and each wrestler wrestled, to the best of his ability, to win.

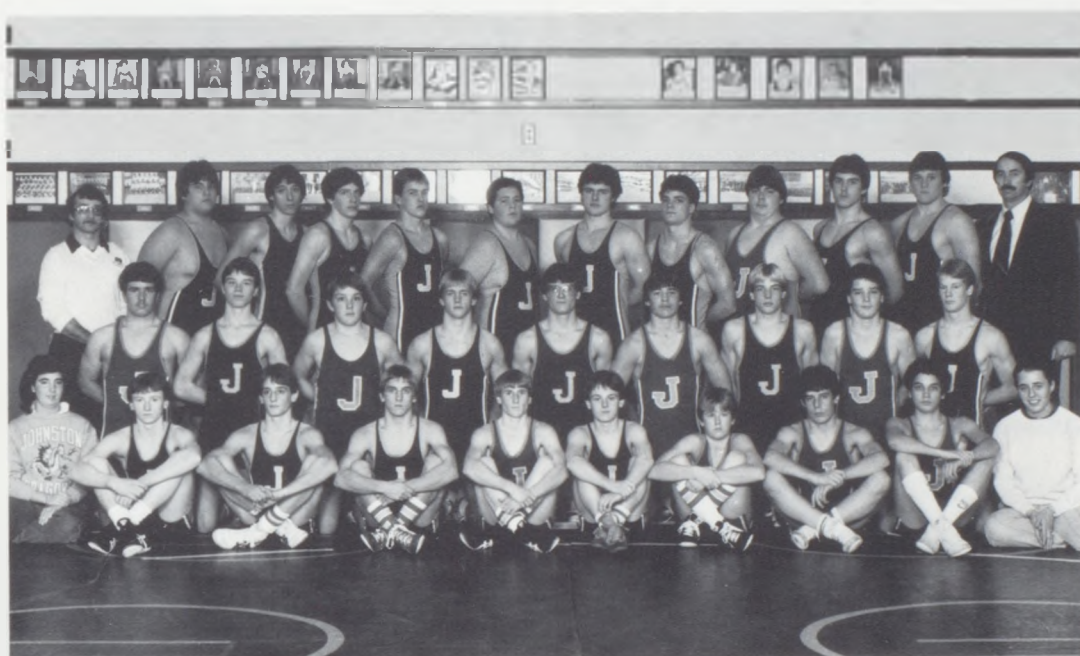
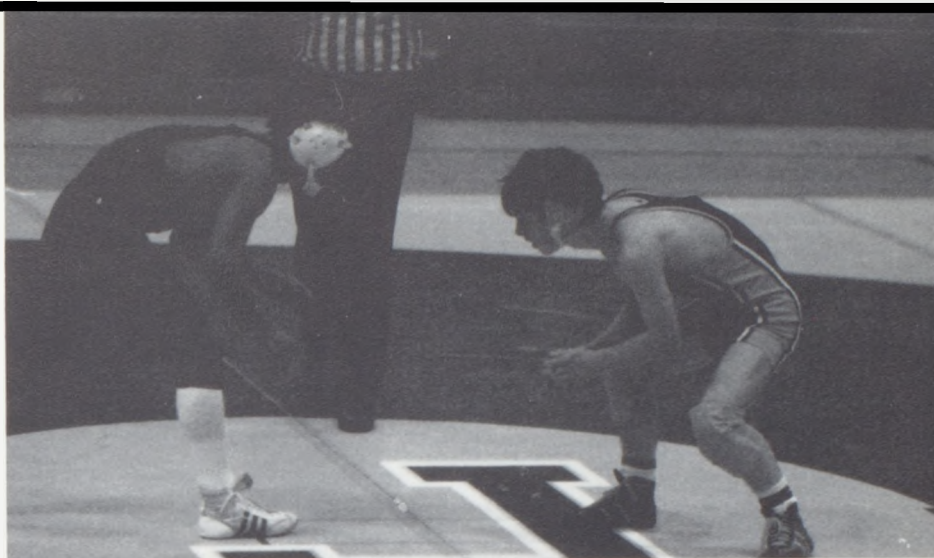
The J. V. team was coached by Mr. Tony Whitaker. He felt that the J. V. wrestlers had improved considerably. Most of the members of the J. V. team were sophomores and freshmen who gave it their all.

The Varsity wrestling team was coached by Mr. Frank Baltzley. Mr. Baltzley felt that each wrestler was very dedicated, and that the team worked hard together. Some wrestlers really stood out last year, like Cale Sponsler who ended the season with a 22-4 record. David Gay took first place in many invitational, such as the Greenfield Invitational and the Carlisle Invitational. Co-captains of the Varsity wrestling team were seniors Brian Ranger and Mike Lang. Mike Lang also won the Outstanding Wrestling of the Year Award.

The Dragons had a great season last year, and with more hard work and practice, next season will be even more outstanding.







Page 131-Top right corner: David Gay is in the ready position. Middle right, top row: Mr. Whitaker, Ricky Lee, Rod Seward, David Gomis, Jon Tack, Todd Lindhoff, David Mollenhauer, Barry Jones, Stephen Kugley, Paul Galloway, Mike Lang, Mr. Baltzley, Middle row: Mike Dunn, Scott Grimes, Eric Hines, Bart Ratterree, Scott Daugherty, Sonny Weir, Brad Voorhees, Chris Jones, Jeff Riemenschneider, Bottom row: Ann Blue, Mark Coady, Brian Ranger, Cale Sponsler, Randy Whitmore, David Gay, Aaron Kelly, Bruce Hancock, Kurt Whitmore, Joy Robbins. Middle: Jon Tack and Barry Jones are in the line up.

Page 130-Middle left: Brian Ranger wins another match! Lower left corner: Come on Barry Jones, pin your man!



# Boys' Track Team Breaks Olympic Record for Injuries



Upper middle: Brent Rankin takes a flying leap. Upper left: Darren Young lies injured. Middle: Robert Cramer fights for the finish. Lower left: Look at those muscles on Greg Ojendyk and David Gomis. Lower middle: What olympic athletes Matt Mertens, Bart Ratterree and Joel Johnson. Upper right: 1986 Track Team 1st row—M. Casey, T. Vanderhart, S. DeCook, R. Cramer; 2nd row—S. Strickland, Z. Dieter, S. Grimes, S. Mason, D. Gomis; 3rd row—D. Paez, M. Watkins, G. Young, B. Rankin, C. Johnson; 4th row—M. Adam, C. Sponsler, G. Ojendyk, T. Casey. Lower right: What form, Zac Dieter!







The 1986 Johnston Boys' Track Team had a good season. They worked well together and had a lot of determination.

The Heart of Iowa Conference was held Tuesday, May 6, 1986, at Johnston High. Overall the boys' track team placed second in our conference. Some outstanding runners that placed in the HOIC, were: Todd Casey-pole vault—third; Chad Johnson-800 meter run—second; Greg Ojendyke-200 meter run—first and 1600 meter run—first; Bart Ratterree-100 meter dash—third; Joel Johnson-200 meter run—third; Matt Mertens-200 meter run—second; Steve Strickland-400 meter run—second; 4x800 relay—first; 4x200 meter relay—first.

The boys' track team will lose a lot of outstanding runners; but this year the team will work hard and strive for what they want.



# Girls' Track Team Breaks Sound Barrier

At the 1986 Heart of Iowa Conference, the Johnston Girls' Track Team had a pretty good record. Leslie Timmerman came in third at the shot put. Alicia Shelton came in first at the high jump. The first place in the long jump was taken by Nikki Johnson and Dawn Bebensee had second place. In the three-thousand-meter run, our girls took third place with Anne Patterson as our contestant. Nikki Johnson came in third in the nine-hundred-meter dash, and came in second in the two-hundred meter run. Johnston came in second at the sprint medley relay.







Top right: Debbie Grimes seems to be leading. Middle right: Jump, Diana, jump! Lower right: Ann Patterson tries to bring in a victory. Lower middle: Susan, Diana, and Wendy take a break after a race. Top left: The girls take some time to goof-off. Middle left: A little chilly, Tory? Bottom left: Go Wendall!





# Girls' Golf Team Gets Lost on Golf Course

The 1986 Girls' Golf Team may not have had the best season ever, but they still had a good time. Mr. John Carver was the coach for the Girls' Golf team. The team consisted of four girls: Jill Friestad, a junior; Annette Nelson, Kara Saddoris, and Mindy Webb, all sophomores. There were a lot of meets last year, so the girls had to work pretty hard, but they never seemed to forget how to have fun.



Top Left: The 1986 Girls' Golf Team: L. to R. Coach Carver, Jill Friestad, Mindy Webb, Kara Saddoris, and Annette Nelson. Top Right: Smile, Mindy! Lower: Whom are you thinking about, Kara?





# Boys' Golf Team Joins Swim Team While Searching for Ball at "Lake Hyperion"



1986 was a pretty good year for the Boys' Golf team. With a final statistic of four to six, the boys felt pretty good about themselves. Jeff Beck said that he really had a lot of fun. Ryan Chamberlain said that the thing that he liked most is the fact that they got to go out a lot and just play. The team members included:



Jason Battani, Larry Battani, Brad Bauman, Jeff Beck, Chad Christianson, Mark Coady, Ryan Chamberlain, Dale DuBois, Bill Goss, Kevin Larsen, Scott Maasen, Mark Mingles, Kerry Pierce, and Mark Shervheim. The Johnston Boys' Golf coach for 1986 was Mr. Frank Sanders.

Top: Some of the Boys' Golf Team members. Middle Left: Caught ya', Coach Sanders! Middle Right: Yes, Jeff Beck, you have a nice smile. Lower: What are you reaching for, Larry?





The boys' tennis team consisted of both Urbandale and Johnston schools put together. Although they had a disappointing season, they had a lot of fun and made some new friends. The boys' team members from Johnston were: Scott Carpenter, Andy Anderson, Mike Hall, Jason Kerber, Alan Pooch, and Charles Nelson. Their coach, Kirk Trow, was quoted as saying, "It was a pleasure to have the Johnston team to coach."



## Boys' Tennis Teams Get Pointers from McEnroe



Girls' tennis team members: Coach Wyatt Pugh, Molly Ahern, Leslie Timmerman, Sharon Lindstrom, Lisa Battani, Christie Brown, Debbie Welsh, Lisa Timmerman, Melisa Malgaard, and Lauri Papenheim. Not pictured: Keri Stokstad.

The boys' tennis team: Front Row: Oliver Seaghal, Mike Larom, Mike Neubauer, Jason Geary, Jason Kerber, Joshua Meadows, Alan Pooch. Second Row: Mike Hall, David Dixon, John Guyzowski, Darren Curtis, Charles Nelson, Craig Pitcher, Scott Carpenter. Back Row: Andy Anderson, Erick Mans, Brian Dickey, Jeff Holin, Scott St. Brown, Mark Knapp, and Tom Churchill.

The 1985-86 tennis season consisted of four seniors last year, Lisa Timmerman, Leslie Timmerman, Lisa Battani and Melisa Maigaard; One junior, Keri Stokstad; one sophomore, Debbie Welsh, and five freshmen, Christie Brown, Jody Van Horn, Molly Ahern, Sharon Lindstrom and Laurie Papenheim. The team played well and ended up with a 9 and 2 season.

Mr. Pugh had never coached on a high school level before so he was excited to begin. He said, "Last year's tennis team tried very hard and kept spirit up at all times."

The team had a good time and played well. The best of luck to the players of the '87 season.





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